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# BATMAN

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AND ROBIN  
FACE DANGER**

**AROUND THE  
WORLD!**

**CRIME  
IN CANADA**

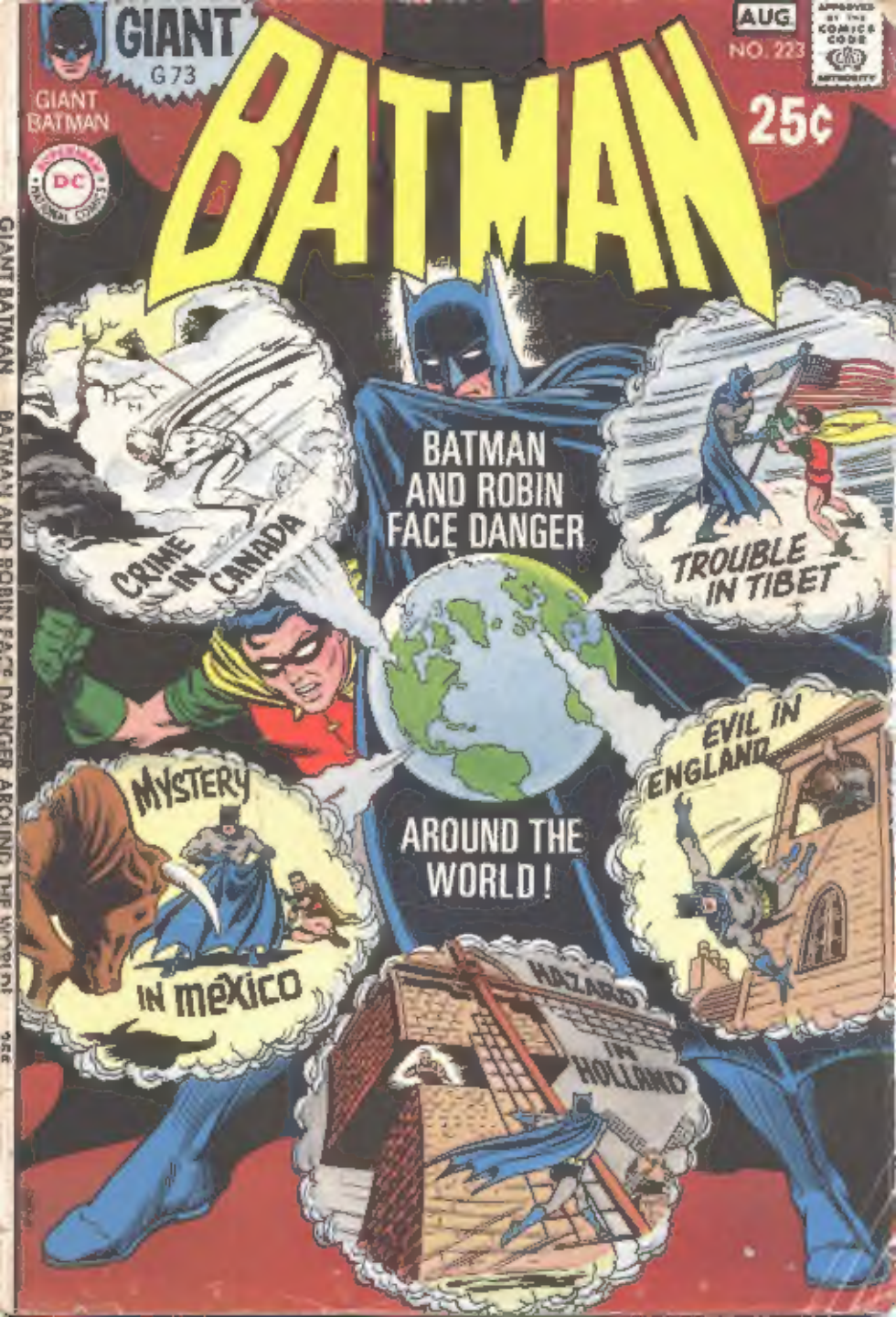
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# GIANT BAT-MAN *Featuring*

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AROUND  
THE  
WORLD!**

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The **London** police never use guns...but a fugitive American hood operating in England does! So **Batman** and **Robin** join forces with **Scotland Yard** to track down the trigger-happy thug!

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A wounded **Mountie** deputizes **Batman**, and the **Caped Crime-Fighter** sets out through the **Canadian** snows to capture two killers...and keep intact the tradition that a **Mountie** always gets his man!

### THE MARDI GRAS MYSTERY

In colorful **New Orleans** for the **Mardi Gras**, **Batman** and **Robin** run into a baffling puzzle when a lovely lady gives them an envelope—and a gang of costumed crooks tries to take it away from them!

### JOURNEY TO THE TOP OF THE WORLD

To recover vital evidence against top underworld leaders, the **Dynamic Duo** must scale a hitherto unclimbed mountain in the remote **Himalayas**! But a killer is determined to see that they don't make it...alive!

### AROUND THE WORLD IN 8 DAYS

A serum needed to save a man's life has been stolen! **Batman** and **Robin** have only eight days to recover it...which they must do by tackling a world-wide syndicate with agents in eight far-flung places...from **Vienna** and **Venice** to **Algiers** and **Siam**!





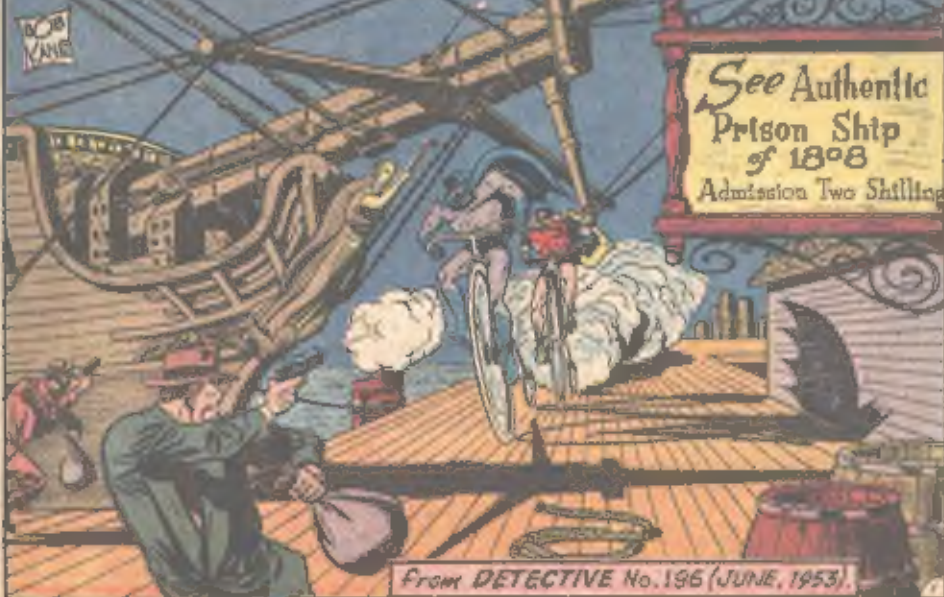
# BATMAN

With

**ROBIN**  
THE BOY WONDER

FAMED THROUGHOUT THE WORLD ARE THE SLEUTHS OF SCOTLAND YARD, HEADQUARTERS OF THE LONDON POLICE! THE JUSTLY CELEBRATED LAWYER WAGS WAR AGAINST CRIME WITHOUT THE USE OF FIREARMS... AND THE PENALTIES OF THE LAW ARE SEVERE UPON GUN-WIELDING CRIMINALS! BUT A NOTORIOUS AMERICAN GANG CHIEF LEADS GUN-HAPPY CRIMINAL COHORTS IN TERROR RAIDS AGAINST UNARMED LONDON BOBBIES! AND BATMAN AND ROBIN, FIGHTING FOES OF FELONS, RISK THEIR LIVES TO HELP DEFEND THE...

## "CITY WITHOUT GUNS!"



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ONE DAY, IN GOTHAM HARBOR, A POWERFUL SPEEDBOAT RACES SWIFTLY TOWARD THE OPEN SEA...

NOTIFY THE COAST GUARD! FRANK LUMARDI'S ESCAPING!

HE WON'T GET FAR! HE'S ALL THROUGH AS A GANG BOSS IN THIS COUNTRY! WHEN HE TRIES TO GET BACK, HE'S BOUND TO GET PICKED UP!



BUT FRANK LUMARDI HAS NO INTENTION OF RETURNING...

THAT'S THE CARGO SHIP... WAITING OUTSIDE THE TWELVE-MILE LIMIT! IT'S GOODBYE TO THE U.S.A. FOR ME! NOTHING BUT STIR WAITING IF I GO BACK THERE!



A MONTH AFTER GANG CHIEFTAIN FRANK LUMARDI GOES INTO EXILE, BRUCE WAYNE AND HIS WARD, DICK GRAYSON, ARRIVE IN ENGLAND ON A HOLIDAY...

I'M GOING TO ENJOY PLAYING TOURIST FOR AWHILE!

I'VE ARRANGED TO MIX BUSINESS AND PLEASURE DICK! I'VE GOT A LETTER OF INTRODUCTION FROM COMMISSIONER GORDON TO INSPECTOR DEGGERS... OF SCOTLAND YARD! WHILE WE'RE IN LONDON, I'D LIKE TO STUDY THEIR CRIME-FIGHTING METHODS!



SOON, IN INSPECTOR DEGGERS' HEAD-QUARTERS...

IS IT TRUE, INSPECTOR, THAT THE LONDON POLICE NEVER CARRY GUNS? THAT'S AN UNUSUAL METHOD OF FIGHTING CRIME!

WELL, SHERLOCK HOLMES DIDN'T NEED A GUN TO SOLVE HIS FAMOUS CASES! NEITHER DID MANY OF THE OTHER GREAT CRIME-FIGHTERS WHOSE PICTURES ADORN THIS GALLERY!



BATMAN'S AND ROBIN'S PICTURE BELONGS IN THIS FRAME! IT SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN RIPPED OUT BY SOMEONE IN A FIT OF ANGER!

THAT'S A SUBJECT WE DON'T DISCUSS, MR. WAYNE! THE CIRCUMSTANCES ARE TOO PAINFUL TO ALL OF US HERE AT SCOTLAND YARD!

I CAN ONLY TELL YOU THIS! BATMAN'S AND ROBIN'S PORTRAIT HELD A PLACE OF HONOR THERE... WITH THE GREATEST SLEUTHS OF ALL TIME! BUT IT'S NOT LIKELY THAT THEIR PORTRAIT WILL HANG THERE AGAIN!

MOMENTS LATER...

THIS IS THE RECEIVING STATION, WHERE ALARMS FROM ALL OVER LONDON ARE PINPOINTED AND... OH-OH! THERE'S AN ALARM FROM LEICESTER SQUARE! YOU MUST EXCUSE ME!

OF COURSE, INSPECTOR DEGGERS!







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IN A DESERTED ROOM, BRUCE WAYNE AND DICK GRAYSON SWIFTLY CHANGE INTO THE FIGHTING TOGS OF **BATMAN** AND **ROBIN**, THE BOY WONDER...

INSPECTOR DEGGERS IS HURRYING TO ANSWER THAT CALL! SHALL WE JOIN HIM?

I'D LIKE TO WATCH THE LONDON POLICE IN ACTION! I WANT TO SEE HOW THEY STOP CRIMES WITHOUT GUNS!

AND SOON, WHEN INSPECTOR DEGGERS ARRIVES AT LEICESTER SQUARE...

I'M GLAD YOU GOT HERE SO SOON! FOUR CRIMINALS, ARMED WITH GUNS, STOLE MY BRIEFCASE!

YOUR BRIEFCASE? THIS IS SERIOUS! I'LL HAVE A POLICE CORDON THROWN AROUND THE SQUARE AT ONCE!

THE MANTLED CRIME-BUSTERS ALSO SWING INTO ACTION...

STEALING A BRIEFCASE SOUNDS LIKE PETTY LARCERY, **BATMAN!**

INSPECTOR DEGGERS DOESN'T SEEM TO THINK SO! COME ON! MAYBE WE CAN HELP ROUND UP THE CROOKS FOR HIM!

FURTHER ON, HEROIC LONDON BOBBIES CLOSE IN ON THE SURROUNDED CROOKS...

WE'RE TRAPPED, LUMARDI!

THIS IS ONE TRAP WE CAN **SHOOT** OUR WAY OUT OF! THESE COPS DON'T CARRY GUNS! **BLAST 'EM!**

ABRUPTLY, TWO HUMAN BOMBHELLS BURST IN THE MIDST OF THE OUTLAWS...

FRANK LUMARDI! YOU LEFT THE UNITED STATES BY REQUEST SOME TIME AGO! SO THIS IS WHERE YOU'RE OPERATING NOW!

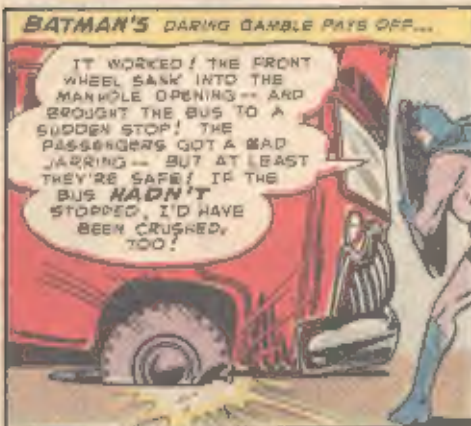
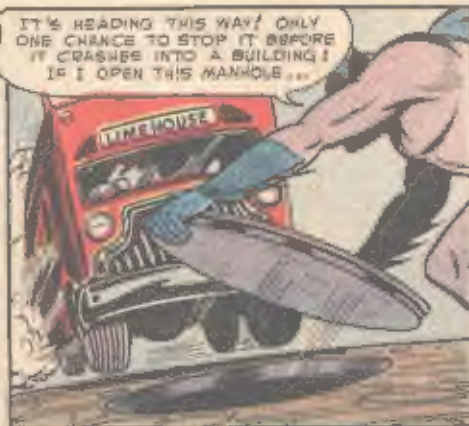
**BATMAN AND ROBIN!**

I NEVER EXPECTED TO SEE YOU IN LONDON! BUT I'LL ARRANGE FOR YOU TO **DIE** HERE!

YOU'RE TRIGGER-HAPPY, LUMARDI!

**BAM**

**BAM BAM**







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I'VE COMPILED THAT LIST FOR YEARS! NATURALLY, I WANT TO KNOW ALL ABOUT CRIMINALS IN CASE I SHOULD EVER CROSS TRAILS WITH THEM MYSELF!

HERE'S A CARD ON FRANK LUMARDI! IT WAS SOME INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT HIM. **BATMAN!** LUMARDI IS AN ARDENT HORSEMAN... AND HE LOVES TO BE SEEN IN THE COMPANY OF SOCIETY FOLK!

THAT MIGHT ADD UP TO AN INTERESTING CONCLUSION. **ROBIN!** ROTTEN ROW, IN HYDE PARK, IS THE PLACE IN LONDON WHERE SOCIETY FOLK RIDE THEIR HORSES!

THERE'S SOMETHING ELSE I WANT TO SHOW YOU... IN MY GARAGE!

AND CHESTER GLEEK OPENS THE GARAGE DOOR TO REVEAL...

**THE BATMOBILE!** BUT HOW...?

RATHER A SUCCESSFUL IMITATION, DON'T YOU THINK? I WANT YOU TO USE IT WHILE YOU'RE IN LONDON!

LATER, AS AN IMITATION **BATMOBILE** ROARS THROUGH THE QUIET STREETS OF OLD LONDON...

MY WORD! NICE OF CHESTER GLEEK TO LET US USE HIS MODEL OF THE **BATMOBILE!**

GRACIOUS! DOESN'T HAVE THE POWER OF THE REAL **BATMOBILE, ROBIN!** BUT IT MAY PROVE USEFUL!

EGAD!

EVEN AS **BATMAN** AND **ROBIN** NEAR ROTTEN ROW, THIS SCENE IS TAKING PLACE THERE...

HORSEBACK RIDING! AIN'T EXACTLY IN OUR LINE, LUMARDI!

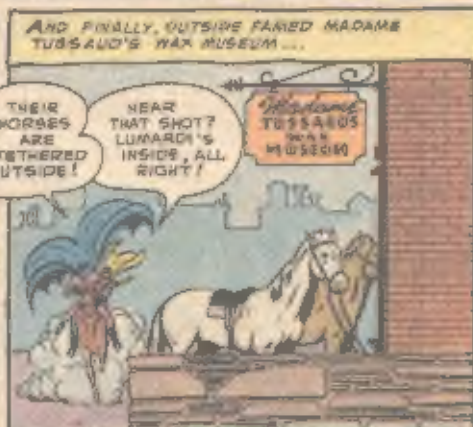
QUIET, CUNUP! I THINK BETTER IN THE PROPER SURROUNDINGS! I'VE WORKED OUT OUR NEXT CRIME PLAN ALREADY!

AND THEN...

**EEEEYOW! THE BATMOBILE!**

**BATMAN** AND **ROBIN** HAVE SEEN US! FOLLOW ME! WE'LL ESCAPE... AND PULL OFF THE JOB I PLANNED!







MAGELLAN WAS  
KILLED BY AN  
ARROW!

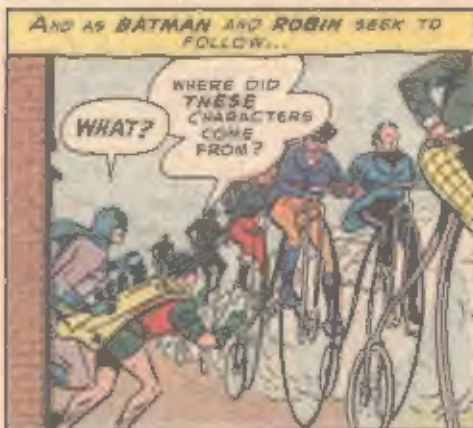
AND  
CAPTAIN KIDD  
WAS  
HANGED!



UNDER COVER OF OUR FIRE, THE CROOKS BEAT A  
RETRAIT!

THIS WAY  
OUT, MEN!  
I'LL KEEP  
THEM  
BACK!

RICHARD THE LION HEARTED WON'T  
MIND LENDING ME HIS SHIELD!  
IT'S HELPING ANOTHER  
CRUSADE ---  
AGAINST CRIME!



AND AS BATMAN AND ROBIN SEEK TO  
FOLLOW...

WHAT?

WHERE DID  
THESE  
CHARACTERS  
COME  
FROM?



WE ARE  
MEMBERS  
OF THE  
PICKWICK BICYCLE  
CLUB! EVERYONE  
IN LONDON KNOWS  
ABOUT  
US!

THEY'RE DRESSED  
LIKE CHARACTERS  
FROM DICKENS'  
NOVEL --

"THE PICKWICK  
PAPERS!" BUT  
I CAN'T ADMIRE  
THEIR QUIRKY  
APPEARANCE! THEY  
ACCIDENTALLY HELPED  
FRANK LUMARDI AND  
HIS GANG TO  
ESCAPE!



AT SCOTLAND YARD, BATMAN AND  
ROBIN CONFER WITH CHIEF INSPECTOR  
DEDDERS...

LUMARDI AND HIS  
GANG HAVE GONE INTO  
HIDING! THEY CAN'T  
BE STAYING IN THE  
SAME PLACE SINCE  
IT WOULD ATTRACT  
ATTENTION! SO THEY  
MUST HAVE A METHOD  
OF GETTING IN TOUCH  
WITH EACH OTHER  
WHEN THEY'RE  
GOING TO PULL  
A JOB!

I AGREE,  
BATMAN! I'VE  
BEEN SCANNING  
THESE POLICE  
REPORTS IN  
HOPES I COULD  
TURN UP A CLUE  
TO THE  
BLIGHTER'S  
INTENTIONS!



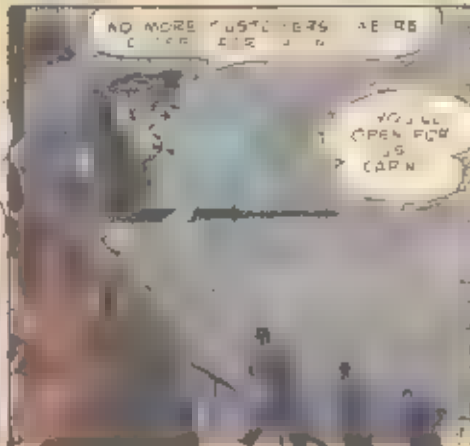
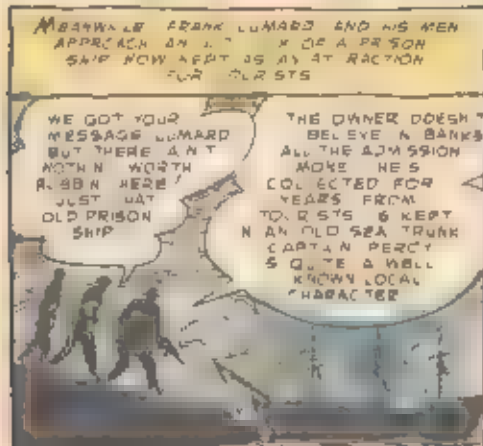
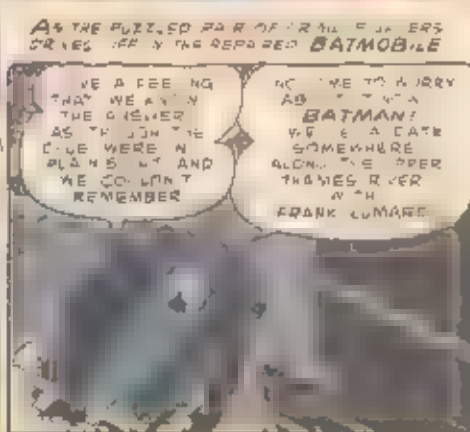
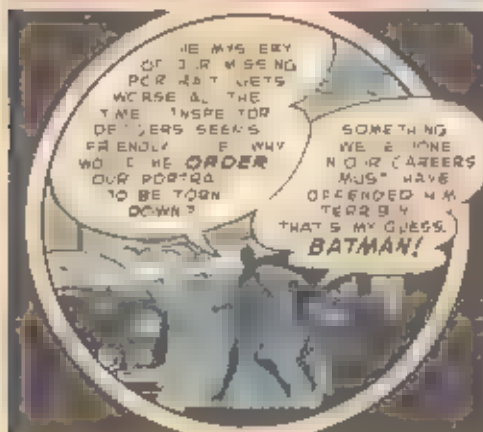
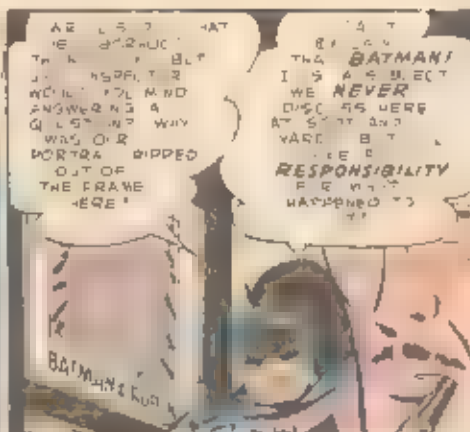
NOTHING UNUSUAL  
HAS OCCURRED ---  
EXCEPT FOR THIS!  
A BLOKE WAS CAUGHT  
DEPACING THE STATUE  
OF ISIS IN THE  
ROYAL MUSEUM!  
HE CLAIMS HE WAS  
PAID TO DO SO, AND  
TO MAKE CERTAIN  
HIS CRIME WAS  
REPORTED IN  
THE DAILY  
JOURNALS!

IF THIS IS  
LUMARDI'S WAY OF  
COMMUNICATING  
HIS NEXT CRIME  
PLAN TO HIS  
HENCHMEN, I  
DON'T  
UNDERSTAND IT!  
WHAT POSSIBLE  
CONNECTION  
WOULD AN  
EGYPTIAN GODDESS,  
ISIS, HAVE WITH  
A CRIME TO BE  
COMMITTED  
IN LONDON?





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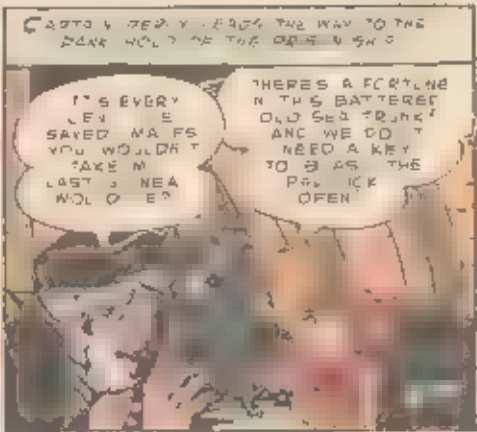


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AND TRY  
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ABOUT



CATCH A DEEP V. ROAD THE WAY TO THE  
DARK HOLD OF THE DEEP V. SH

THERES A FORTUNE  
IN THIS BATTERED  
OLD SEA TRUNK!  
AND WE OD T  
NEED A KEY  
TO B AS THE  
PIL ICK  
OPEN

IT'S EVERY  
LEV E  
SAVED MA FS  
YOU WOULDNT  
TAKE M  
LAST A NEA  
WOL O ED

LEAVING HE TO CAPTAIN BO. A AND  
JUTTEL THE LRL AS I SE THROUGH  
A DLY WHERE PRISONERS WERE  
ONCE MANCLED TO THE RARS



BATMAN  
AND ROBIN!  
HERE

WE HEARD THE GUN RE  
LUMARD THANKS FOR  
E AS S R  
EXACT WHERE  
AS



A ROW ROW  
IN HE  
A BOAT

GO  
AHEAD IN  
LA IN BATMAN!  
ONE B RST WILL  
RUE YOU  
LIE A  
YOW!

J METHINS  
THESE ICKS  
WILL LANT YOU N  
THE CLUNK!



AS THE TEE A D I E S AFTS CHARD HE  
WARD NT AG BATMAN AND ROBIN

WE'RE RUNNING  
FOR OVER LL  
LESH THIS ONE TO  
WE MAST A R  
SAFEGUARDING

AND  
AFTER  
CHARD



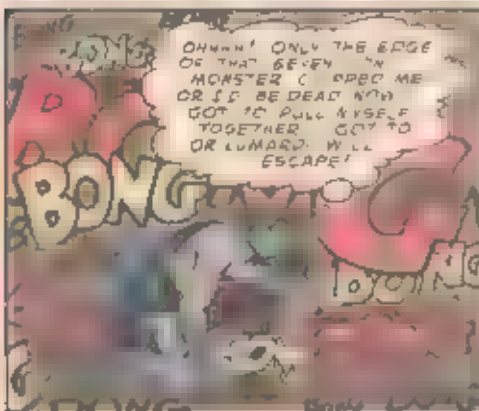
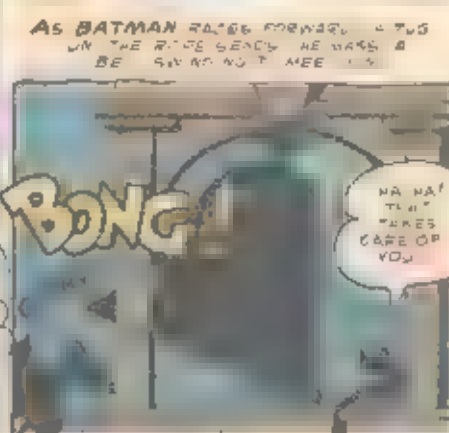
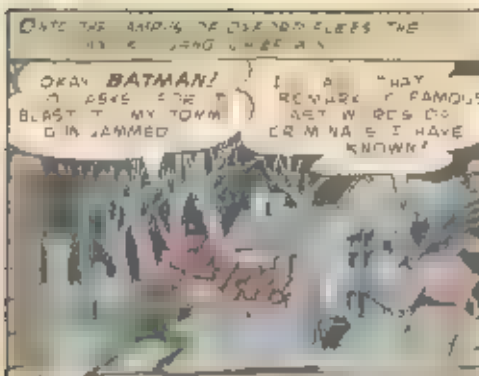
YOU'RE  
CHARMED  
BATMAN!  
STAY BACK  
OR I LL  
KLL  
YOU!

GETT NG NERVOUS  
L MARD ? IF  
YOU'RE SO  
SURE YOU  
CAN KLL  
ME WHY  
ARE YOU  
RUNN NG  
AWAY?





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## A LITTLE BATMAN AND ROBIN

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WE'RE THE ORIGIN AND  
WE'RE GLAD AND  
WE WERE BEING  
PROCESSED FOR  
THE WHOLE  
DO IT MEAN  
TO FRIGHTEN

FRANK L. MURDO  
USE US TO  
START A REIGN  
OF ERROR IN  
SCOTLAND  
GUNS SHALL  
BE USED



BUT YOU HAVEN'T  
OFFERED ME A  
ALL **BATMAN!**  
WE'RE THE ORIGIN  
YOUR PORTRAIT IT  
DISAPPEARED  
FRANK L. MURDO  
OF THE WHOLE  
THE WHOLE  
DO IT MEAN  
TO FRIGHTEN

B BUT  
WHY WERE  
YOU  
WILLING  
TO DISMISS  
ME  
BEFORE?



ALL THE ORIGIN HAS BEEN  
THE ORIGIN HAS BEEN

I ORIGINALLY DONATED THIS PORTRAIT TO  
SCOTLAND YARD ON THE PRINCE OF WELLS  
WOULD BE A SPECIAL PLACE  
WHICH THEN I WAS OFFERED TO  
DASHY THAT YOU WERE  
T A GUNDS OF ALL **INFERIOR**  
ALL THE AS SHIELD  
OF THE SO I RETURNED  
THE PORTRAIT  
AND I AM HERE



UN  
CHESTER  
FEEL A  
VERY GREAT  
A NEW  
NGS FOR

LATES WITH FRANK MURDO AND HIS  
REVENGE MEN SAFE IN THE HANDS OF  
HE

YOU'VE BEEN OF  
INVALUABLE ASSISTANCE  
TO US HERE AT SCOTLAND  
YARD MAY I SAY  
THAT YOU'VE  
BOTH LIVED  
TO YOUR  
SCANDAL  
REPUTATION!

ER IF OUR  
REPUTATION  
HERE IS SO  
GOOD WHY  
T HAS YOU  
CAPTURED  
OUR PORTRAIT  
TAKEN DOWN? WE'D  
LIKE TO KNOW  
WHAT OFFENDED  
YOU INSPECTOR?



PROFESSIONAL  
PRINCE **BATMAN!**  
THE DISAPPEARANCE  
OF YOUR PORTRAIT  
IS THE ONLY MURDER  
SCOTLAND YARD  
NO ER HAS BEEN  
ABLE TO  
NOT RECALL  
KE TO BE ABOUT  
OUR ACCEPT  
ALTHOUGH I ACCEPT  
RESPONSIBILITY  
FOR THEM

SAY  
CHESTER  
GLEEK  
GAVE YOU  
THAT  
PORTRAIT  
AND I SAW A  
PORTRAIT  
ON THE WALL  
HIS PORTRAIT  
**BATCAVE!**  
LET'S GO  
TO SEE HIM  
DASH AWAY!



ANTHONY I BLAME  
MY **BATMAN!**  
YOU'VE HELPED  
TO CLEAR UP  
SCOTLAND YARD'S  
ONLY UNSOLVED  
MYSTERY WE  
CAN ARRANGE  
FOR ANOTHER  
PORTRAIT OF BOTH  
OF YOU TO HANG IN  
OUR GALLERY OF  
HONOR

I'LL BE  
GLAD TO  
DONATE IT  
**PROVIDED**  
YOU LET IT  
IN A PLACE  
WHERE IT  
BELONGS. AFTER  
ALL THERE'S  
NEVER BEEN  
ANYONE THE EQUAL  
OF **BATMAN**  
AND **ROBIN!**



THE  
END





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2. PERHAPS NO GROUP OF LAWMEN IN ALL THE WORLD HAD A MORE DUTYFUL AND FIDELITY ANSWER TO THE ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE. THE EASY WAY TO FIND OUT WHO GOT THE MAN WHO PATROL THE BLEAK AND FISH WATERS WITH A GRIMNESS OF PURPOSE THAT HAS NO EQUAL IN THE WORLD OF THE FIGHT. WHEN FATE MADE BATMAN AND ROBIN TEAM UP WITH THE POLICE, THE TWO WERE A MATCH FOR THE POLICE. IT HAPPENS IN THE TWO CALLED.

# "BATMAN of the MOUNTIES"





# GIANT BATMAN



ON A BRIGHT WINTRY DAY IN 1900, THE CANADA TRIPPER OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE ENTERED A SNOWY MOUNTAIN PASS.

BATMAN AND ROBIN!

THEY WERE HERE.

HE SEEMED TO BE IN THE TOURIST TRAIL AND HE WERE NEXT.

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED

WELCOME  
BATMAN AND ROBIN

THEY WERE HERE. THE POLICE WERE HERE. THE POLICE WERE HERE.

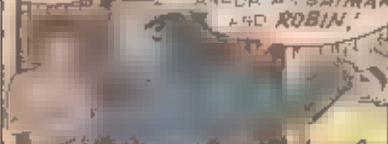
ALL SET? WE CAN FLY TO CANADA TO GO?

RIGHT! I'VE JUST MADE ARRANGEMENTS FOR "BRUCE WAYNE" TO VISIT AN OLD AUNT IN JOSSIMA THAT WILL EXPLAIN OUR ABSENCE WHILE WE'RE IN CANADA AS BATMAN AND ROBIN.

WE AS THE TAKE THE SNOW UNIFORMS. WE'RE ON THE WAY WE'VE NEED TO GO TO THE FINEST BAT-CAVE.

MINUTE AS WE TAKE THE SNOW UNIFORMS. WE'RE ON THE WAY WE'VE NEED TO GO TO THE FINEST BAT-CAVE.

WE'VE BEEN HERE FOR A LONG TIME. WE'VE BEEN HERE FOR A LONG TIME. WE'VE BEEN HERE FOR A LONG TIME.

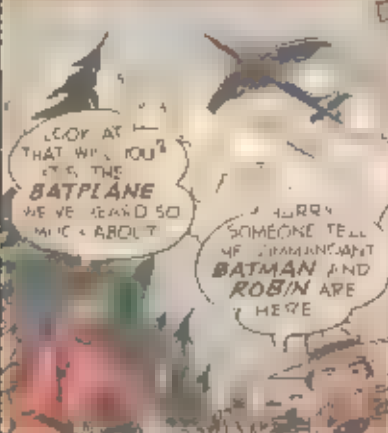


AND THAT EVENING...

MEN, I HAVE A SURPRISE FOR YOU. BATMAN AND ROBIN HAVE COME TO THE POLICE. A LOT OF THEM ARE HERE. WE'VE CRASHED THE PARTY. WE'VE CRASHED THE PARTY.

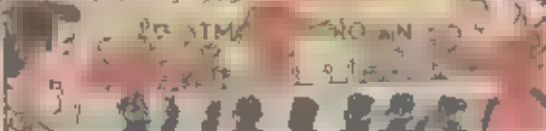
GOOD-O! BATMAN.

THE POLICE WERE HERE. THE POLICE WERE HERE. THE POLICE WERE HERE.

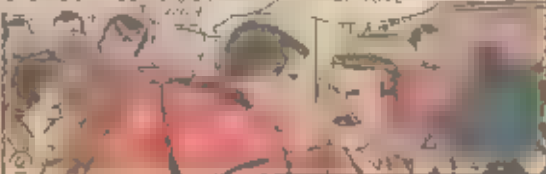


LOOK AT THAT! THE BATPLANE WE'VE HEARD SO MUCH ABOUT.

HURRY! SOMEONE TELL ME IMMEDIATELY BATMAN AND ROBIN ARE HERE.

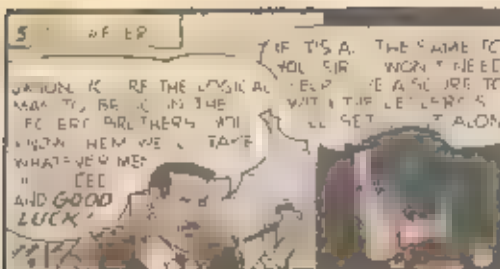


BUT APPROPRIATELY A GPIM MESSAGE REACHES THE JAIL. BAD NEWS! THE JAIL IS BROKEN. THE JAIL IS BROKEN. THE JAIL IS BROKEN. THE JAIL IS BROKEN. THE JAIL IS BROKEN.





# GIANT BATMAN



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IF IT'S A THE SAME TO  
YOU SIR WON'T NEED ANY  
HELP TO GET TO THE  
WITH THE LITTLE'S ARE  
LL GET IT ALONE

UNION K RE THE LOGICAL  
MAD TO BE IN THE  
FOR ERY BUT THERE'S A  
KNOW THEM WE A TAKE  
WHAT-NEW ME  
" IEE  
AND GOOD  
LUCK "



AND NEXT MORNING  
BATMAN  
ROBIN ARE  
READY TO BE  
NEW DEMON  
STRAIL

MAN ROBIN  
TYPICAL OF HE STUFF  
THESE WANTS ARE  
MADE OF NO WONDER  
THEY ALWAYS CE  
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SO LONG  
GAS IN GOOD  
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GET 'EM  
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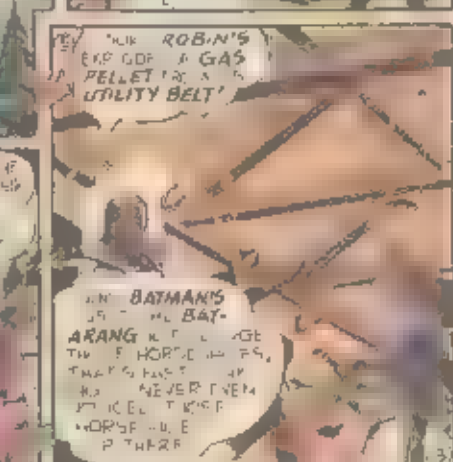
HE LAST OF PLANE WATION REELS TO THE  
TALYNT IF HE LEE HIB FOR TRY

HOW  
LOOK AT THEM  
HANDLL THAT  
SILKEN CORD!



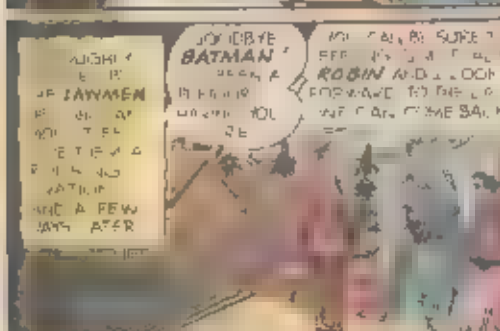
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HE WANTS THAT  
PLANE BECAME  
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BATMAN  
LULL R  
THAT LADDER

HE WONDER  
THE CE OF  
IN GOTHAM  
CITY HAVE  
SUCH A HARD  
TIME W W



HE ROBIN'S  
EXP GOF A GAS  
PELLET'S A  
UTILITY BELT

BATMAN'S  
ARANG R F LAGE  
TW F HORSE IN FS  
THAT'S JUST  
NO NEVER EVEN  
WEL TREF  
WOFSE-UE  
P THERE



WIGHT  
E P  
IF JAYMEN  
E OF AT  
YOU TEL  
ETEND  
P IN NO  
CATION  
AND A FEW  
JAYS AFTER

JOYIBBYE  
BATMAN  
DECA P  
IN HEN  
WORTH YOU  
RE

IN CALM SURE  
EFF P'S A F AL  
ROBIN AND A LOON  
FORWARD TO THE  
WE CAN TIME SAY





# GIANT BATMAN



AN IRONIC WICH FOR SCARCELY FIFTY  
MILES FROM THE **BATPLANE** KEYS  
HIMSELF

**BATMAN** LOOK!  
THE 8TH OF A  
MAN KNOWN  
IN THAT  
CLEARING

WE'D BETTER TAKE A  
LOOK GET READY TO  
BREAK OUT THE  
AIR LARY  
HE LOSTER  
ASSEMBLY

MINUTES LATER

WHY IS TROOPER  
BOB LARSON AND  
HIS BROTHER  
WOUNDED

LEAVE  
AMPH SH  
TOOK MY  
HORN  
LEFT ME R  
AT THE A  
GET THEM

**ROBIN** FIRST AID  
KNOWLEDGE THIS  
MAN OF CAN  
**IMMEDIATE  
TRANSFUSION!**  
THE IF GET TO  
BURN HIM  
BACK TO  
THE POST

NO NO TROOPERS DIES  
O FING LE BROS HER  
TRA WILL FRESH  
O I OW IF WILL DROP WAL  
NON ME NEVER FILL  
WCA THE MILS NT  
OF APE

**BATMAN** YOU'RE A GOOD  
DEPUTY  
NO THE CANE AUTHORITY  
ET **ROBIN** FLY PLANE YOU  
POLICE LECTURE HERE  
MA SIG A MAKE  
T OFF - AL

IT MAKES SENSE  
**ROBIN** YOU FLY HIM  
BACK HE CONTACT ME  
JA OUR BET RADIOS  
TO SEE YOU MY LO-  
CATOR THEN AND  
NO CAN JOIN  
ME

AND A FEW MOMENTS LATER

BUT **BATMAN** YOU MUST TAKE  
MY JURY E RO COLLEGIERS  
GIVE YOU NO HONOR

I NEVER SEE A  
GUY FOR AND DON'T  
WANT TO WINTERS  
**ALWAYS GET  
OUR MAN!**

OKAY **ROBIN**  
TAKE HER UP

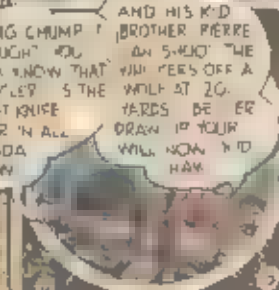
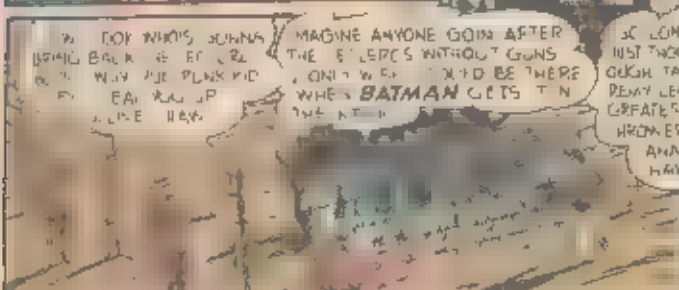
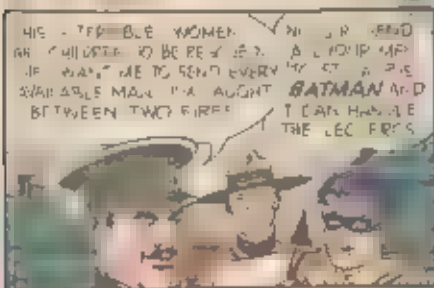
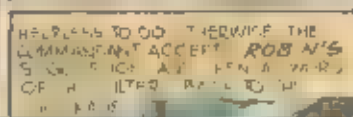
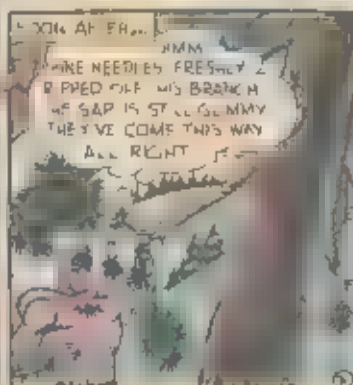
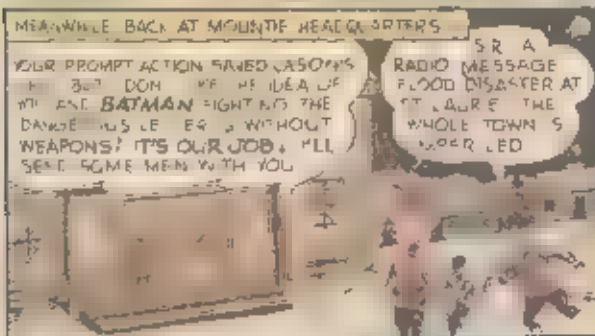
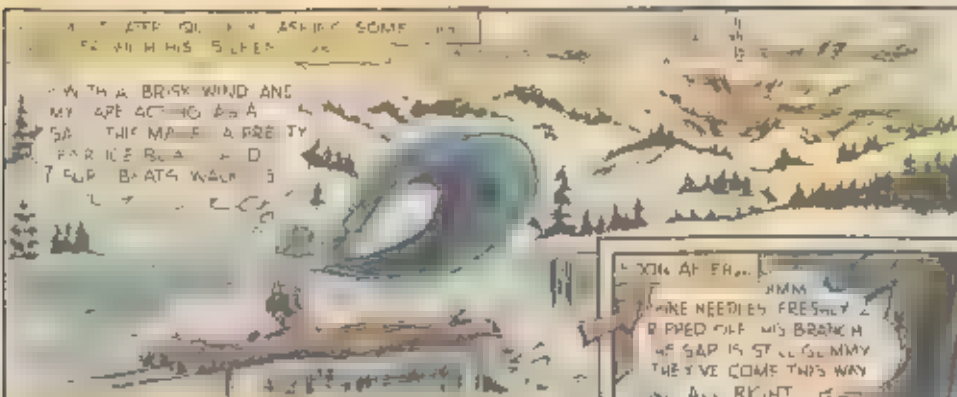
AND SO IT IS THAT **BATMAN** A TWO DAY  
MILE FROM HOME TAKES ONE OF HIS OL-  
EST ASSIGNMENTS IN THE BEST TRADITION OF  
THE ROYAL AIR AN MOUNTAIN

WE TALKED ACROSS  
HIS FROZEN LAKE WE  
GOT TO MOVE FAST TO CLOSE  
THE GAP HUMAN M  
GETTING AN IDEA





# GIANT BATMAN



... WITH A BRISK WIND AND MY SPEECHES AS A ...  
... THE MA ...  
... PARICE ...  
... 7 ...  
... BATMAN ...

MEANWHILE BACK AT MOUNTAIN HEADQUARTERS

YOUR PROMPT ACTION SAVED CASUALTIES ...  
... BUT DON ...  
... AND **BATMAN** FIGHTING THE ...  
... DANGER ...  
... WEAPONS ...  
... I'LL ...  
... SEND SOME MEN WITH YOU

... SR A ...  
... RADIO MESSAGE ...  
... FLOOD DISASTER AT ...  
... LAURE ...  
... THE ...  
... WHOLE TOWN ...  
... NO ...

... DON ...  
... NEED ...  
... FRESH ...  
... R ...  
... HIS ...  
... BRANCH ...  
... HIS ...  
... ST ...  
... GUNNY ...  
... THEY'VE ...  
... COME ...  
... THIS ...  
... WAY ...  
... ALL ...  
... RIGHT ...

... HEAD ...  
... TO ...  
... DO ...  
... THERE ...  
... THE ...  
... COMMAND ...  
... ACCEPT ...  
... **ROB** ...  
... N'S ...  
... S ...  
... RICH ...  
... AS ...  
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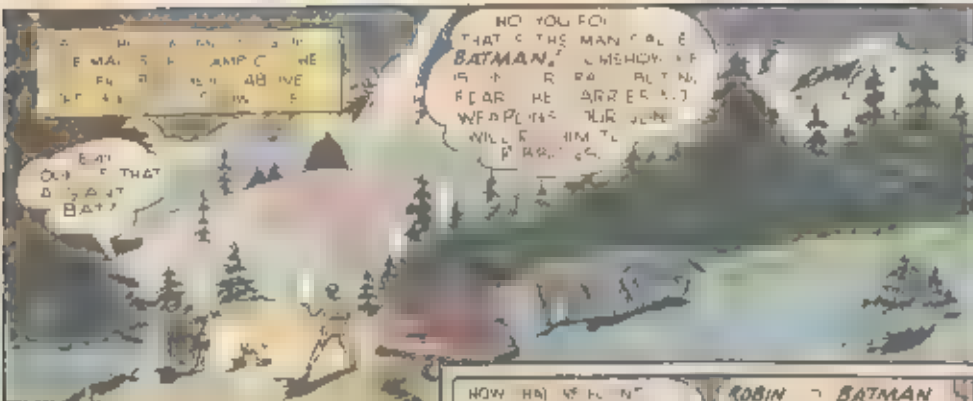
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... WOMEN ...  
... AN ...  
... CHILDREN ...  
... TO ...  
... BE ...  
... RE ...  
... IF ...  
... WANT ...  
... ME ...  
... TO ...  
... SEND ...  
... EVERY ...  
... BY ...  
... AT ...  
... THE ...  
... AVAILABLE ...  
... MAN ...  
... I'VE ...  
... AUGHT ...  
... **BATMAN** ...  
... AND ...  
... BETWEEN ...  
... TWO ...  
... FIRES ...  
... I ...  
... CAN ...  
... HANDLE ...  
... THE ...  
... LEG ...  
... FEES ...

... DO ...  
... WHO'S ...  
... JOHNA ...  
... BEING ...  
... BACK ...  
... IF ...  
... WHY ...  
... THE ...  
... PLUNK ...  
... MID ...  
... EAR ...  
... K ...  
... LINE ...  
... HERE ...

... IMAGINE ...  
... ANYONE ...  
... GOING ...  
... AFTER ...  
... THE ...  
... E ...  
... LEADS ...  
... WITHOUT ...  
... GUNS ...  
... ONLY ...  
... WHO ...  
... WOULD ...  
... BE ...  
... THERE ...  
... WHEN ...  
... **BATMAN** ...  
... GETS ...  
... T ...  
... N ...  
... THE ...  
... NEED ...

... SO ...  
... LONG ...  
... CHUMP ...  
... JUST ...  
... TROUGH ...  
... YOU ...  
... GUGH ...  
... TA ...  
... KNOW ...  
... THAT ...  
... A ...  
... REWAY ...  
... LEFT ...  
... S ...  
... THE ...  
... GREATEST ...  
... KNIFE ...  
... HROMER ...  
... IN ...  
... ALL ...  
... ANADA ...  
... HAWN ...

... AND ...  
... HIS ...  
... KID ...  
... BROTHER ...  
... PIERRE ...  
... AN ...  
... SHOOT ...  
... THE ...  
... FIVE ...  
... FEET ...  
... OFF ...  
... A ...  
... WALK ...  
... AT ...  
... 20 ...  
... YARDS ...  
... BE ...  
... ER ...  
... DRAW ...  
... ID ...  
... YOUR ...  
... WILL ...  
... NOW ...  
... MID ...  
... HAWN ...



ALL WHEN WHEN THE THE FOLLOWS HOME  
CLAMPS OF THE THE AFTER OF THE  
A ET AF OF THE THE BATMAN  
CUSE

WE HAVE BAN IN TAKT GREAT  
BE, TRULY T PLEASURE IN KILLING  
S IN A TREE THE FIG

HOW HA! WE L N  
+ + IF 107 P A  
AN WA E INT L ROBIN  
APR 28 SHI WIE AN C NI  
WUT EM H C IT PO  
HE HIGIL BE WRE C WA  
AT J- HERE GOF9 THE  
DEPT A

ROBIN - BATMAN  
BATPLANE - 1442 CR.  
JFC WAS TO GO NOW  
5 RVV - 7F 11 TR  
RVV - 1442 & BLAT  
IN - 5TH - 172

D. 4. 27 1947  
 WYD T L A T F A L A N E N S O N T H E  
 K A O N T H E K F P P C U  
 I O W T H E Y W E J S F A M I L Y  
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NYE NEAR RISEN BARK.  
SMO. [RE] 11/11/14  
[RE] 11/11/14

AND A FEW TAGS ARE

Y F BARX MAPA EXF BUE  
KYS WITH STRIKE FROM MY  
IT T5 BELT AS BINDINGS  
DNT THINK THERE R ETS  
WILL FIND ME NOW PFTN  
JLAPD WITH MY CANON  
UNIFORM AS CAM  
COK NSE

WHERE DID WE GET  
SIX 9'S AND NOW AN  
EIGHT WHEN A  
BARELY 500



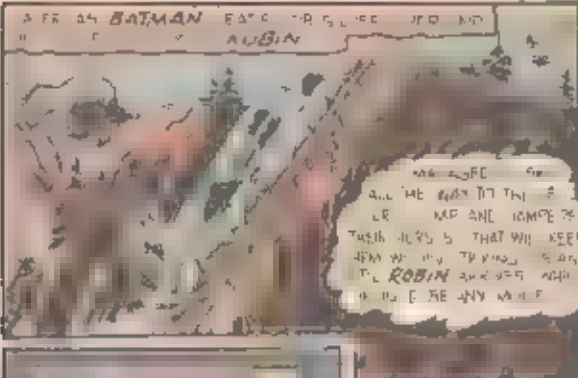


# GIANT BATMAN



A FEW OF BATMAN'S BEST FRIENDS ARE HERE

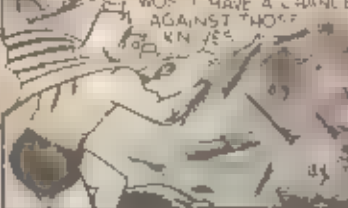
AUBIN



WE'VE GOT TO  
ALL THE WAY TO THE  
LEAF AND I'M GOING  
TO BE THERE THAT WILL KEEP  
THEM FROM TRYING TO  
THE ROBIN AND I'VE GOT  
TO BE THERE ANY MORE

MEANWHILE ROBIN'S ATTEMPT TO EAT  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE FOR  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE FOR  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE FOR

FREE'S ROBIN BUT THE HERO  
HAVE HIM AND I'VE GOT  
AS YET THERE FIRST THE HERO  
WON'T HAVE A CHANCE  
AGAINST THOSE  
OF HIM YET



BATMAN IS IN THE  
FLYING



LUCKY I FOUND  
A SMALL ONE AT  
THE TOP OF THE CHUTE  
I'VE GOT TO BE THERE  
I'VE GOT TO BE THERE  
I'VE GOT TO BE THERE

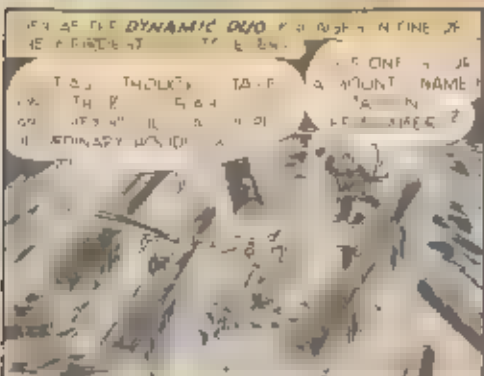
BATMAN'S  
MAY BE SEEN AS  
FOOT AS FALLING  
IN A LANE



ROBIN, WE'VE  
GOT TO BE THERE  
I'VE GOT TO BE THERE

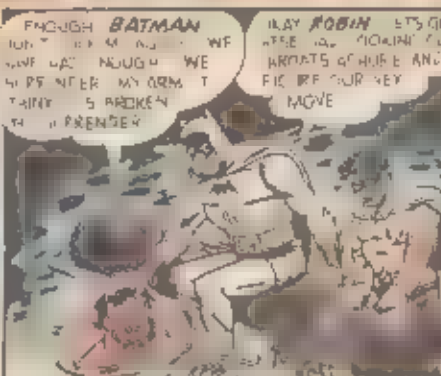
BATMAN  
COMING TO WIN  
HE CHUTE

IF A FEW OF THE DYNAMIC DUO ARE HERE  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE



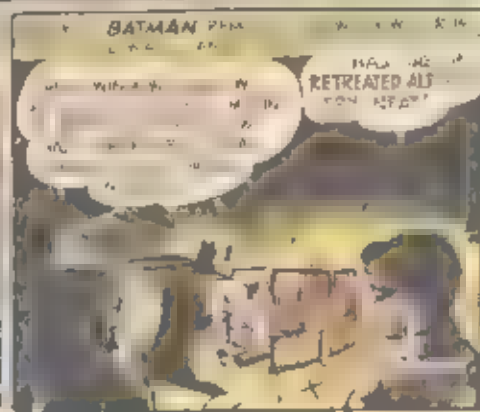
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE

ENOUGH BATMAN  
I'VE GOT TO BE THERE  
I'VE GOT TO BE THERE  
I'VE GOT TO BE THERE



IF A FEW OF THE DYNAMIC DUO ARE HERE  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE  
THEY'VE GOT TO BE THERE

# GIANT BATMAN



ROBIN!

BATMAN

HE'S COMING  
WE'VE GOT TO  
GET HIM

BATMAN PHM

RETIRED ALI  
CON REPT

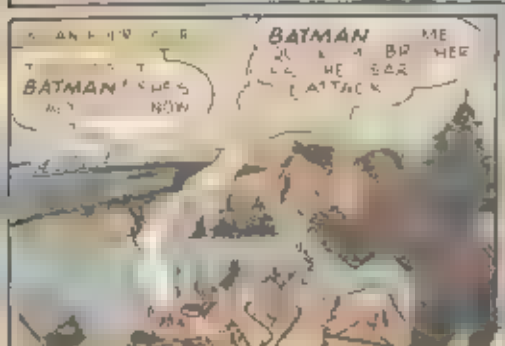


# GIANT BATMAN



W H IF EVER  
HEAD WA A NE OMI  
HT THA IS

THE WANDA JI **ROBIN**  
HOLD WANDA A HE FINLS WERE  
PERFECT LE RIGHT O THE  
MAY AKA E' A FLOW TAS  
WE AN EXTHA PLAYE



**BATMAN** ME  
HE L A BR HER  
HE EAR  
ATTACK

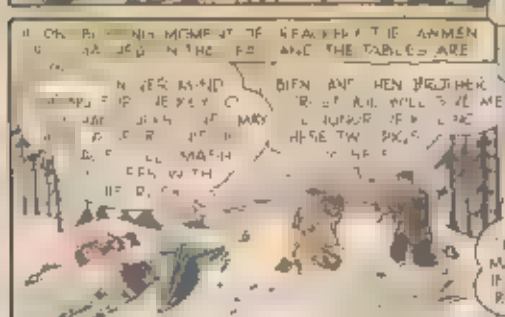


H A MOUNT **BATMAN** AND **ROBIN** ARE A THE  
WALKER FINE A S O O THE FNO WEIVE  
WALKER IN A KAP

**BATMAN**  
FRODS MY HAND WAS NEVER  
HALL PEE T Y AN HT F ERC  
TOK WE JUST WAITED FOR  
F RIGHT MOMENT

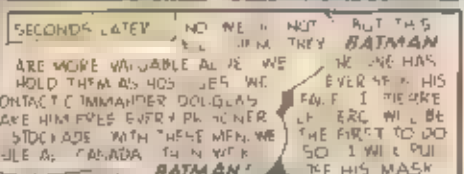


WANDA  
LET'S GET  
LM

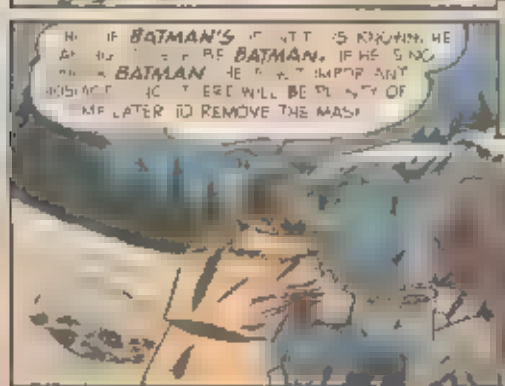


H ON B... NIN MOMENT OF  
A A JOO N THE FO  
AND THE TABLE ARE

N GER MAND  
BLEN AND HEN BROTHER  
R OF AIL MLL S AL ME  
L JUPOR IF A LAK  
HESE TW PKA  
HE



SECONDS LATEY NO WE H NOT BUT THS  
IM THEY **BATMAN**  
ARE MORE VALUABLE AL WE WE  
HOLD THEM AS HOS JES WE  
CONTACT COMMANDER DOUGLAS  
MAKE HIM FRES EVERY PL JONER  
IF STODADE WITH THESE MEN WE  
RULE A CANADA TH N WIK  
**BATMAN**



H IF **BATMAN'S** ITT IS KROVIN HE  
AT HZ OF RE **BATMAN**. IFHS SNO  
H **BATMAN** HE IT IMPOR ANY  
HOSING IC T ERE WILL BE PL NTY OF  
ME LATER TO REMOVE THE MASH



ALL RUS B. I WILL TAKE WNA HRE  
WILTY OF L SO THAI WE HAVE NO RICKS  
THEN TINKOUT WE AVE KILL SLEEP ENE  
AND TINKOUT WE MAKE THE BIG ONE FIV  
LE PAK JRE HE WE PILL FL TLE  
HE EUR AND THIS IS MOP  
WE T

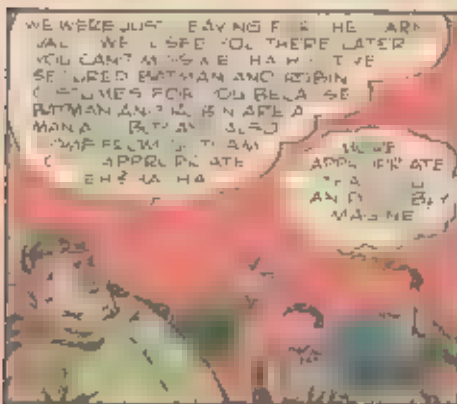
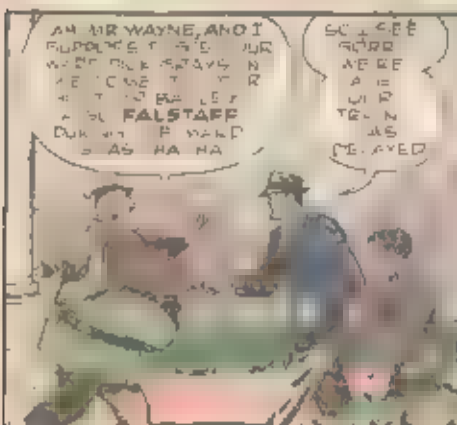






# "The MARDI GRAS MYSTERY"

A COMPLETE SYNDICATED STORY WHICH  
APPEARED IN NEWSPAPERS FROM  
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ONCE DRESSED ROBIN HITS THE V STARTS FOR HOME EG OVER THE WINDOW SILL

WHOA, YOUNGSTER  
WE DON'T HAVE TO  
SNEAK OUT IN OUR  
SUITS THIS TIME  
REMEMBER?

H M HON  
YES JUST  
FORCE OF  
HABIT

WE MIGHT JUST AS  
WELL WALK  
THROUGH THE WALL  
- PLAIN AS  
DESERTED AS A  
GAS STATION

I GUESS EVEN  
THE HELP  
IS AT THE  
MARDI GRAS  
HALF THE  
POPULATION  
MUST BE  
HERE!

BATMAN AND ROBIN SOON WHOPE  
THEMSELVES IN THE PUSHING AND  
MASKED REBELS AT THE COLORED  
HISTORICAL MARDI GRAS

I NEVER SAW SO  
MAN DIFFERENT  
COSTUMES IN  
ALL MY LIFE

SORT OF  
LIKE BEING  
LOST IN A  
HOLYWOOD  
WARDROBE  
DEPARTMENT  
ISN'T IT?

LET'S GO  
OUT INTO THE  
OPEN WHERE  
WE CAN  
BREATHE!

SAY JOE LOOK  
HAT MAN'S  
DRESSED AS  
BATMAN NOW  
WHY DON'T I  
THINK OF  
THAT?

MR WAYNE TAKE THIS AND  
GUARD IT WITH YOUR LIFE  
THEY'RE FOLLOWING ME I'LL  
MEET YOU LATER

HEY  
LET  
BETTER  
DRESS  
OF  
SHOT  
NOW  
WE  
GET  
ER

NON NON! LET  
HER GO WITH  
M CANEYES  
I'VE SLEPT  
SLEEP ENVELOPE  
TO ZA ONE  
DRESSED AS  
BE BATMAN

HEAINT DE  
REAL BATMAN  
SO WHAT RE  
WE NATION  
FER? 'LL  
BE A DEAD  
CUNK TO PUSH  
'IM OVER AN  
GRAB



ST'S OF AND CABLEY WHO PROV'DED THEM WITH BATMAN AND ROBIN COSTUMES FOR THE MAY 1965 EPV. VA. BR. H. F. WAYNE AND DICK GRAYSON ARE C. D. VELY HANDED AN ENVELOPE. ANOTHER K. USE. SUELT. ANN. LA. EY. BUT HER ACTION HAS NOT BEEN L. INNOTYED.

LEBETTE YOU WERE RIGHT THAT JACEY NAME DID SUIT IT TO THAT GUY IN THE BATMAN COSTUME!

LEBETTE YES ALWAYS RIGHT SEE, KL. NK. EVEN NOW ME EX AM HES BET QUEECK WE MUS TAKE EET AWAY FROM HEEM!



OKAY BUD HAND OVER THAT ENVE OPE AND DON'T GO MAG I N YOU'RE THE REAL BATMAN AND START GETTIN' DEAS SEE?

OH I SEE VERY WELL

BUT YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE A TOUGH JOB WITH TWO BLACK EYES!

OW!



ROBIN! CATCH GET GOING!

THERE MAY BE MORE OF THIS MOB AROUND CAN'T TAKE ANY CHANCES WITH THIS ENVELOPE



OOO OF!



THANKS

FOR

THE LIFT

OW!



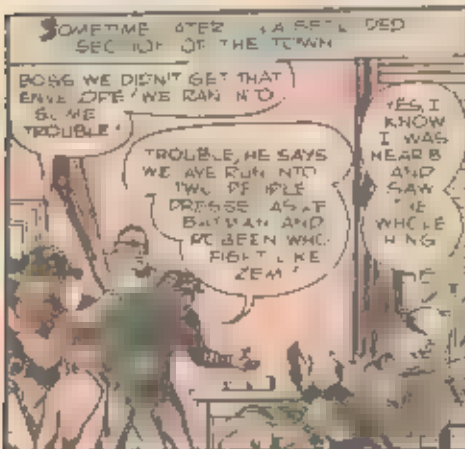
UGH!

AND I  
BORROW  
THIS?



WOW!  
LOOK  
AT  
THAT

SAY HE'S NO  
IMITATION THAT'S  
THE REAL  
BATMAN

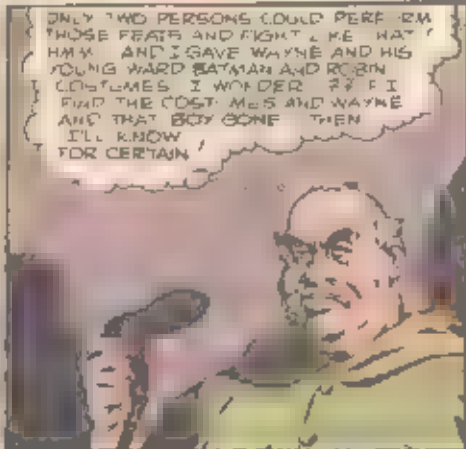


SOMETIME AFTER A REVEAL DED  
SECTION OF THE TOWN

BORG WE DIDN'T GET THAT  
ENVE OFF WE RAN INTO  
SOME  
TROUBLE!

TROUBLE, HE SAYS  
WE AVE RUN INTO  
TWO PEOPLE  
DRESSED AS  
BATMAN AND  
ROBIN WHO  
FIGHT LIKE  
ZEM!

YES I  
KNOW  
I WAS  
NEAR B  
AND  
SAW  
THE  
WHOLE  
THING



ONLY TWO PERSONS COULD PERFORM  
THOSE FEATS AND FIGHT LIKE BAT  
HMM AND I GAVE WAYNE AND HIS  
YOUNG WARD BATMAN AND ROBIN  
COSTUMES I WONDER IF I  
FIND THE COSTUMES AND WAYNE  
AND THAT BOY GONE THEN  
I'LL KNOW  
FOR CERTAIN!



# BATMAN

THE WAY THOSE  
TWO HOPPED  
AROUND AND  
COULDSOCK IF  
I ASK ME  
THAT WAS THE  
REAL BATMAN  
AND ROBIN

EXACTLY WHAT I  
WAS THINKING  
AND I GAVE  
BRUCE WAYNE  
AND DICK GRAYSON  
BATMAN AND ROBIN  
MARTIN GRAS COS-  
TUMES. I JUST  
GET HOME AND  
CHECK UP ON  
THEM

THIS WAS THE MARTIN GRAS BATMAN AND ROBIN  
COSTUME. LATER AT EIGHT BY THREE WAYS TO  
TALK HE SHOULD SLOPED TO THEM BY THE R  
HALL SH. THE GRAS BATHN LATER. LATER THE  
LATER HE RT. UP R. SEL. ALSO THE  
T. 4 R. BAGLEY

MEANWHILE  
WE GAVE THEM  
THE B.A.P. BUT  
THIS IS THE  
FIRST TIME  
WE EVER  
S.A.W. AWAY  
FROM CROCKS

THIS ENVELOPE SEEMS  
IMPORTANT AND I  
WASNT GOING TO  
TAKE ANY CHANCES  
ON LOSING IT. THEY  
MIGHT HAVE HAD  
MORE OF THE R MOB  
AMONG THE MARTIN  
GRAS CROWD

SAY I JUST REMEMBERED  
WHEN THAT LACEY GIRL  
HANDLED ME THE ENVELOPE,  
SHE CALLED ME MR WAYNE.  
SHE THOUGHT WE WERE  
WEARING THE COSTUMES  
BAGLEY GAVE US. BUT  
IF SHE SAW US GO  
INTO OUR ACT

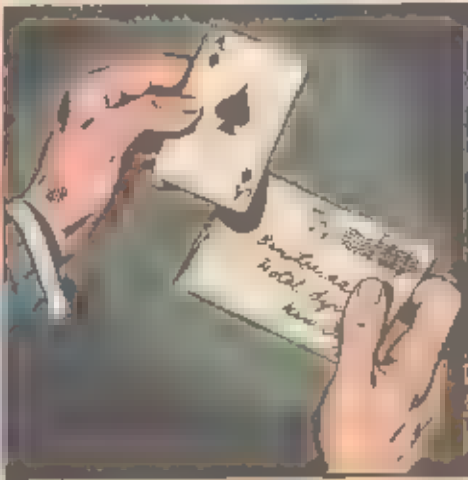
SHELL  
SUSPECT  
WE'RE  
THE  
REAL  
BATMAN  
AND  
ROBIN

EXACTLY AND  
S. W. L. J. R.  
MUST HAVE  
G. L. M. J. R.  
BACK INTO  
AND GLT  
AT A B  
SET UP

A SHORT WHILE LATER

WAYNE WHY I  
WAS UNDER THE  
IMPRESSION YOU  
HAD G. M. E.  
TO THE MARTIN  
GRAS

NO DICK HAD  
A. L. G. H. T. FEVER  
SO WE DECIDED  
TO S. A. Y. M.  
DID WE M. A. S.  
ANYTHING





AN  
ACE OF  
SPADES,  
IS THAT  
WHAT ALL  
THE FUSS  
WAS  
ABOUT?

AN ACE OF SPADES  
SOMETIME? SOMEONE'S  
DEATH DID SOMEONE  
SEND IT TO NICK  
LACEY IT WOULD  
HER SHE'D BE  
MURDERED?

BY BOB FANE

GRABBLE IMMEDIATELY WITH THE TWO MEN, AND THEIR  
IDEAS TO RETURN THE EVIDENCE TO THE POLICE.  
BUT HE SAID HE HAD A MISTAKE TO MAKE.  
BUT AN AND ROBIN OPEN THE MYSTERIOUS PACKET  
AND



HOW COULD  
THEY? THE CARD  
WAS IN THE OLD  
WINNER ENVELOPE  
AND I RESEMBLE  
TO BE A LUCKY  
NOTE "OKAYMORE"  
LOOK AT THE  
POSTMARK-  
879.

IT'S A PUZZLE  
BUT AT LEAST WE  
WILL HOLD THE ACE IN  
THIS GAME. WE  
DAREN'T CONTACT  
MISS LACEY BUT  
IF SHE SEES US  
AT THE MARDU  
GRAS, SHE CAN  
CONTACT US.

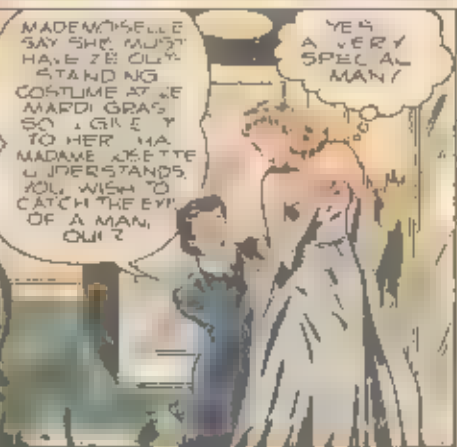


YES, THAT LACEY GIRL WILL  
TRY TO CONTACT BATMAN  
SOME WAY OR OTHER AND  
HE'S GOT THAT EYE UP  
SO DON'T LET HER  
OUT OF YOUR  
SIGHT!

DON'T  
WOLFE  
LEFT &  
NEVER  
FAILS!



I DON'T KNOW WHERE TO  
FIND THE REAL BATMAN, BUT  
IF HE'S AT THE MARDU  
GRAS TONIGHT I MAY  
BE ABLE TO  
HAVE HIM  
FIND ME!



MADAMEISELLE  
SAY SHE MUST  
HAVE THE ONLY  
STANDING  
COSTUME AT THE  
MARDU GRAS  
SO I GIVE IT  
TO HER. MA  
MADAMEISELLE  
UNDERSTANDS  
YOU WISH TO  
CATCH THE EYE  
OF A MAN,  
OUI?

YES  
A VERY  
SPECIAL  
MAN!



THAT NIGHT AS THE JUDGES REVIEW THE  
CONTESTANTS FOR THE HONOR OF BEING  
QUEEN OF THE MARDI GRAS

LOOK AT  
THAT GIRL  
OVER THERE

EXQUISITE AND WEAR-  
ING A UNIQUE COSTUME  
GENTLEMAN, WE CAN  
MAKE UP OUR  
MINDS  
FAST

ON THE EDGE OF THE TOWN'S TWO  
NEW, ARK AULS PAUSE

WE'LL HERE WE  
ARE AGAIN NOW  
IT'S UP TO ANN  
LACEY TO GO OUT

SAY DIDN'T  
THAT GIRL IN  
THE P  
AT  
LOOK FAMIL-  
IAR?

LOOK BATMAN'S  
BACK AGAIN

WHY  
IS SHE  
ANN  
LACEY

DID YOU SEE  
SAM AND ROBIN  
SAIL INTO THOSE  
THREE MUXES  
THIS AFTER-  
NOON? THEY  
WERE TERRIFIC

HEY JUDGE  
HOW ABOUT  
BATMAN FOR  
KING OF THE  
MARDI GRAS?

WE COULDN'T  
FIND A BETTER  
ONE YOU'RE  
ELECTED  
BATMAN!

UP IN  
YOUR  
THYNE  
KING  
AND  
MEET  
YOUR  
QUEEN  
MISS  
ANN  
LACEY

I AM  
HONORED  
YOUR COSTUME  
HAS CHANGED  
BUT YOUR  
FACE IS AS  
BEAUTIFUL  
AS EVER!

THANK YOU  
BATMAN I HAD  
HOPED TO  
CONTACT YOU BY  
BEING ELECTED  
QUEEN BUT I  
NEVER DREAMED  
IT'D WORK  
OUT THIS  
WELL!

I KNOW THIS IS A QUEER PLACE FOR  
+ BUT NOW YOU'VE SAID EXPLAIN-  
ING THE AGE OF SEADES, THERE'S  
SOMEONE WHO  
HEARS US OR  
SUSPECTS  
ANYTHING

# BATMAN

## ROBIN

THAT ACE  
OF SPADES  
IS HERE  
TO BURIED  
TREASURE  
RIGHT IN  
THIS  
COUNTY

NOW YOU'RE NOT  
GOING TO PHILL THAT  
OLD ONE ABOUT JEAN  
LAFFEE'S GREAT TREASURE!  
THAT'S ALMOST AS  
ANCIENT AS HE ONE  
ABOUT CAPTAIN KID!

FILE THE JURY... IF THE MAN...  
AFTER THE... IF THE...  
BUT... A... THE...  
TO... THE...  
CONTENTS OF THE ENVELOPE - AN ACE OF SPADES

OF THE...  
TO... THE...  
TO... THE...  
TO... THE...

WISTER BATMAN  
WOULD THE NAME  
ON THAT ENVELOPE  
MEAN ANYTHING TO  
YOU? I CALLED  
IT WAS BLACKJACK  
WAS IT?

YES ES HAZY  
MSS SIDDON  
LEGEND WASN'T  
IT? NOW BLACKJACK  
WAS A MILLION  
DOLLARS AND LOST  
IT GAMBLING  
WITH RIVER  
SPIRITS?

"NOT QUITE, BATMAN." IN 1879 BLACKJACK  
GAMBLERED WITH TWO MEN ON A RIVER  
BUT HE GOTTA LOST THE ACE OF SPADES  
BUT HE WAS WINNER OF SIXTY  
THOUSAND DOLLARS.

ISN'T THERE  
A CHANCE TO  
WIN BACK SOME  
OF THAT ON  
LAND?

SORRY  
BUT EVEN  
IF JAMES  
OVER

"THAT NIGHT AS BLACKJACK STEPPED  
OFF THE BOARD OF GAMBLER'S...  
HE WAS UP IN THE...  
AND HE CALLED IT...  
EMPTY."

EMPTY!

POLICE CAUGHT THE MURDERERS  
AND HANGED THEM... HE  
MURDERED SOMEHOW  
BUT THE...  
HAD DISAPPEARED

MMM...  
JIM DID  
ALL GET THE  
ENVELOPE?

I FOUND IT AT THE SKAMORE  
HOTEL WHICH I HAD BEEN TO. A  
P E WIT OTHER EN S P E MACK.  
UNAL E D FOR WHE E A FATE  
MP BALEY S INVITATION I BROU GHT  
WITH ME  
THEN MOSE  
THUGS CAME  
ACTE M  
AND I APPED  
IT TO YOU

WHY  
WHAT  
ARE  
YOU  
DOING

[ 4 ] C D THIS "ARD  
SEEMED FORMALLY THICK  
THE A FEE T BLACK JACK  
SU P E E T E MEN WOL T  
TE W B W I G D E A L E D  
THE M E F A D A S E D T H S  
CAN T H A S E A N E  
S W A M R E T E R E H E  
N E N D E D T O S T O P

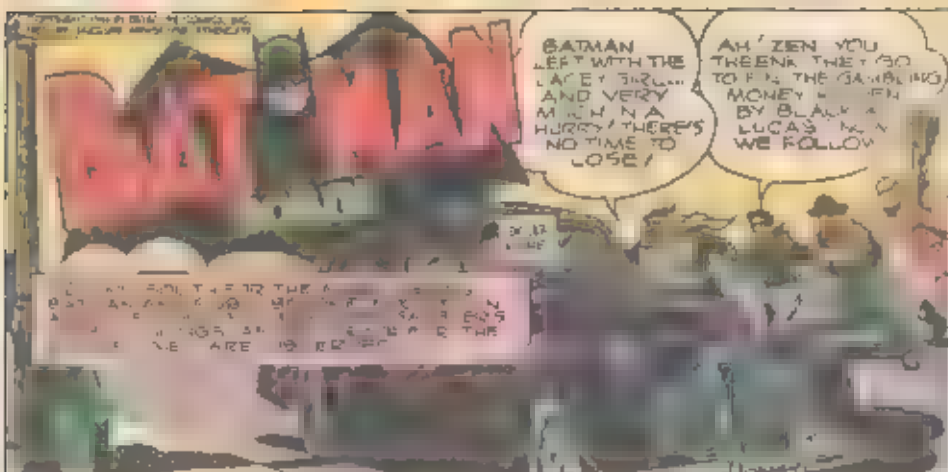
JUST AS I THOUGHT TWO  
CAR'S PASTED TOGETHER THE  
SE E H E S H O W I N G A H A N D  
S E E D M A D E E B A T A N D  
THE E A C T S I T W H E R E B A C K  
W A K H D T H E S I X T Y T H O U S A N D  
D O L L A R S

MISS LACEY - & THE "BETTY" WOL  
E T I N  
SERVICE ?

GOODNESS  
NO T H E B E E N  
D E S E R V E D  
F O R Y E A R S  
W H Y I B E  
L E V E T S  
L Y I N G I N A S W A M  
D O W N T H E S E F O R  
O N L Y A F E W  
M I L E S F R O M  
H E R E

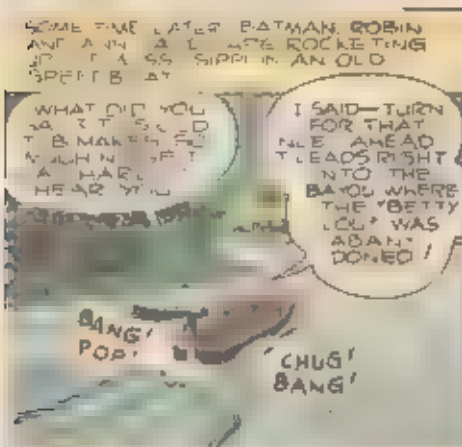
WELL THEN WHAT ARE WE WAITING FOR ?

THE Y E T A R E D A L L T H I S T I M E A N D  
H E S H O W E D F E R T H E " A R D A N D N O W  
T H E Y A R E I N A H U R R Y T O G O S O M E  
W H E R E A N D W I L L W A G E R T H A T  
S O M E W H E R E S  
T H E " F E A S I R E  
S A I D



BATMAN  
LEFT WITH THE  
LACEY TIE...  
AND VERY  
MUCH NA  
HURRY! THERE'S  
NO TIME TO  
LOSE!

AH! ZEN YOU  
THEENK THEY GO  
TO FIND THE GAMBLING  
MONEY... THEN  
BY BLACK...  
LUCAS...  
WE FOLLOW



SOME TIME LATER BATMAN, ROBIN  
AND AIN A L... ROCKETING  
UP AT A 55... SIPPER AN OLD  
SPEET B AT

WHAT DID YOU  
SAID...  
T B...  
A...  
HEAR YOU

I SAID—TURN  
FOR THAT  
NLE AHEAD  
T LEADS RIGHT  
INTO THE  
BAYOU WHERE  
THE BETTY  
LOU WAS  
ABANDONED!

BANG!  
POP!

CHUG!  
BANG!



THERE  
IT IS!



THE CAR WAS DRIVEN BY  
A...  
HE...  
HE...

SIX...  
WILL BE...  
A...  
A...

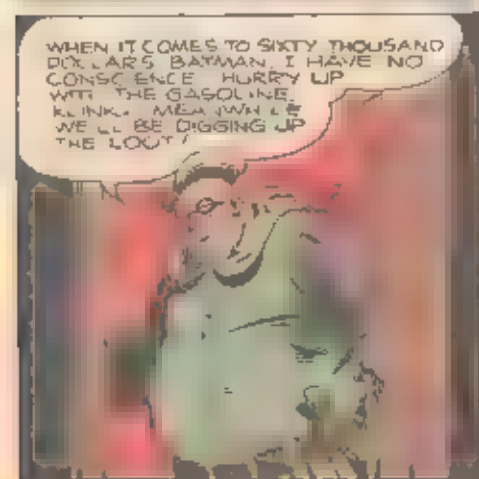
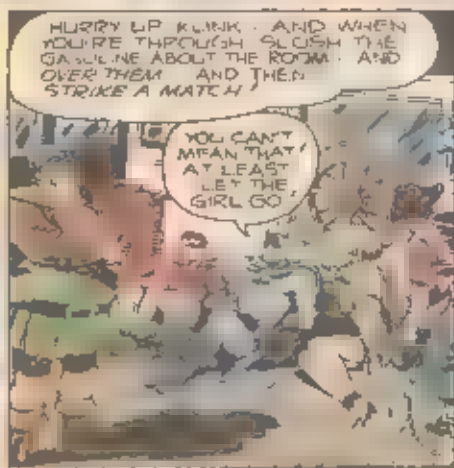


FORCE ON BATMAN...  
MEAN MY JANTS...  
YOU...

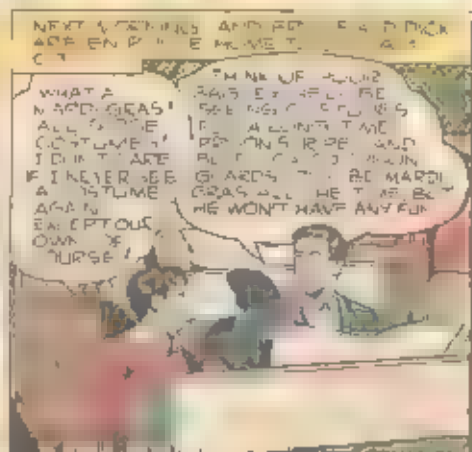
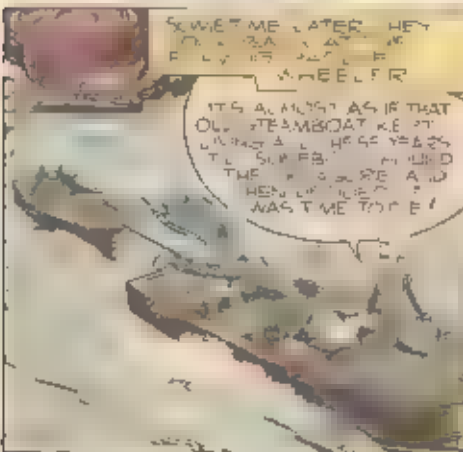
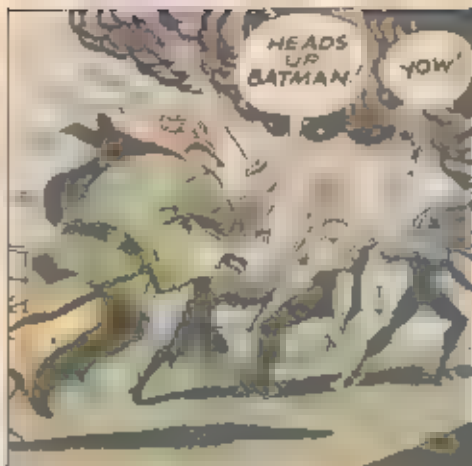
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THAT...  
THEN YOU...  
BEH...  
THIS...

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MADE...  
HE...  
WITH...  
BLAT...









THE ROYAL

THERE WAS A L A E R  
 M L T F M W O R T H A S  
 T A N M L V S T C A E  
 A B M A M .  
 HAS LOST A T E T R A N S  
 C A M E R O N L O C A T I O N  
 W O R T H S. B A T M A N S A D  
 R O B I N W A L S O N  
 A N G A R D S J A T  
 A L E N T A E V L I N S B A R E  
 M O U N T K Y B. T T H E  
 A R E C O N S S K T A S S  
 O R A N S R A A R O S V E  
 L A T T O A N L V L A G E  
 S E N E C O U F E R I E S  
 S. T A S S E 1 2 0 4 T S  
 T A S S E T S

**JOURNEY TO  
THE TOP OF THE  
WORLD!**

405  
1448

THE MOTOR'S GET RID  
ON FIRE OF THAT  
WE'RE CYLINDER,  
GONNA WHATEVER  
"RASH" HAPPENS, I  
MUSTN'T BE  
FOUND IN THIS  
AND CRASHED

**A** TINY BLACK CYLINDER HURTLES OUT OF THE DYING FLAME AND LANDS ON THE HARD-PACKED FROZEN SNOW. ATOP K-41 SECONDS LATER THERE IS A BURST OF FLAME AGAINST A MOUNTAINSIDE.





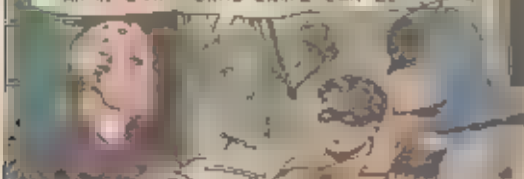


# GIANT BATMAN



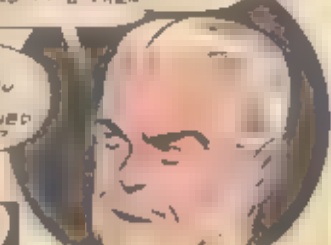
SHORTLY AFTERWARD TWO WORLD-FAMED CRIME FIGHTERS ARE SUMMONED TO THE F.B.I. OFFICE IN WASHINGTON

BATMAN AND ROBIN, A PLANE RECENTLY LEFT HONG KONG CARRYING A MICROFILM WITH THE NAMES OF SOME SUPER-CRIMINALS WHO ARE FORMING AN INTERNATIONAL CRIME CARTEL.



WE'VE JUST LEARNED THAT THE PLANE CRASHED IN THE HIMALAYAS. OUR AGENTS REACHED THE WRECKAGE BUT THEY COULD FIND NO TRACE OF THE MICROFILM. WE'VE BEEN INFORMED THAT THE UNDERWORLD IS SEARCHING FOR IT, TOO - BUT THEY HAVEN'T FOUND IT YET.

WHAT DO YOU THINK HAPPENED TO IT?



WE'RE SURE THAT THE CYLINDER WAS JETTISONED SHORTLY BEFORE THE CRASH! THAT WOULD PLACE ITS PROBABLE WHEREABOUTS HERE ON THE TOP OF MOUNT K-4!

THE WORLD'S MOST UNCLIMBABLE PEAK THE PLACE WHERE THE MYSTERY SNOW CREATURE OF LEGEND IS SUPPOSED TO LIVE



AS IT HAPPENS, THERE'S AN EXPEDITION SETTING OUT TO TRY TO CONQUER K-4! WE'D LIKE YOU TO JOIN BATMAN.

AND FIND THAT MISSING CYLINDER.

IT'LL BE SOME THING LIKE LOOKING FOR A NEEDLE ON THE BIGGEST HAYSTACK IN THE WORLD BUT WE'LL DO OUR BEST.



SOON, THERE'LL BE FRIDAY NIGHTS ON BRUCE WAYNE AND HIS YOUNG MATE, DICK GRAYSON.

NOBODY'S EVER SUCCEEDED IN REACHING THE PEAK OF K-4! A LOT OF MEN HAVE DIED TRYING TO DO IT!



WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE TWO CRACKERS ACK AMERICAN MOUNTAIN MEN, BRUCE MARTIN AND DICK GREEN SH? I HOPE WE CAN LIVE UP TO OUR REPUTATIONS!



A FEW DAYS LATER, HALF A WORLD AWAY...

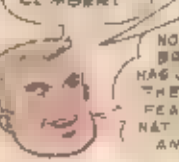
MY NAME IS HANS VERGLAS. I WILL LEAD THE EXPEDITION UP K-4. I'D LIKE YOU TO MEET THE OTHERS WHO ARE GOING ALONG WITH US!



OSNEY SMYTHES IS ENGLAND'S REAR-END CLIMBER!



PAUL FRECKNET - THE BEST MOUNTAINEER IN FRANCE



RAMON NOSOTRO OF BRAZIL - WHO HAS CONQUERED THE HIGHEST PEAKS OF THE MOUNTAINS OF SOUTH AMERICA



A SHOT AT NO  
SC TO DEFEAS  
VCEAGFS AND A  
B. HBAATMENT OF  
STOVES FLA C DEVA  
ON BRUCE AND JACK

GRAB HOLD ON  
WITH ONE HAND  
JERK AND  
TAKE OFF  
OUR  
KNAPSACK

COULDIRE \* 976P  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100 101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122 123 124 125 126 127 128 129 130 131 132 133 134 135 136 137 138 139 140 141 142 143 144 145 146 147 148 149 150 151 152 153 154 155 156 157 158 159 160 161 162 163 164 165 166 167 168 169 170 171 172 173 174 175 176 177 178 179 180 181 182 183 184 185 186 187 188 189 190 191 192 193 194 195 196 197 198 199 200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207 208 209 210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217 218 219 220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227 228 229 230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237 238 239 240 241 242 243 244 245 246 247 248 249 250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257 258 259 260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267 268 269 270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277 278 279 280 281 282 283 284 285 286 287 288 289 290 291 292 293 294 295 296 297 298 299 300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307 308 309 310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317 318 319 320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327 328 329 330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337 338 339 340 341 342 343 344 345 346 347 348 349 350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357 358 359 360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367 368 369 370 371 372 373 374 375 376 377 378 379 380 381 382 383 384 385 386 387 388 389 390 391 392 393 394 395 396 397 398 399 400 401 402 403 404 405 406 407 408 409 410 411 412 413 414 415 416 417 418 419 420 421 422 423 424 425 426 427 428 429 430 431 432 433 434 435 436 437 438 439 440 441 442 443 444 445 446 447 448 449 450 451 452 453 454 455 456 457 458 459 460 461 462 463 464 465 466 467 468 469 470 471 472 473 474 475 476 477 478 479 480 481 482 483 484 485 486 487 488 489 490 491 492 493 494 495 496 497 498 499 500 501 502 503 504 505 506 507 508 509 510 511 512 513 514 515 516 517 518 519 520 521 522 523 524 525 526 527 528 529 530 531 532 533 534 535 536 537 538 539 540 541 542 543 544 545 546 547 548 549 550 551 552 553 554 555 556 557 558 559 560 561 562 563 564 565 566 567 568 569 570 571 572 573 574 575 576 577 578 579 580 581 582 583 584 585 586 587 588 589 590 591 592 593 594 595 596 597 598 599 600 601 602 603 604 605 606 607 608 609 610 611 612 613 614 615 616 617 618 619 620 621 622 623 624 625 626 627 628 629 630 631 632 633 634 635 636 637 638 639 640 641 642 643 644 645 646 647 648 649 650 651 652 653 654 655 656 657 658 659 660 661 662 663 664 665 666 667 668 669 670 671 672 673 674 675 676 677 678 679 680 681 682 683 684 685 686 687 688 689 690 691 692 693 694 695 696 697 698 699 700 701 702 703 704 705 706 707 708 709 710 711 712 713 714 715 716 717 718 719 720 721 722 723 724 725 726 727 728 729 730 731 732 733 734 735 736 737 738 739 740 741 742 743 744 745 746 747 748 749 750 751 752 753 754 755 756 757 758 759 760 761 762 763 764 765 766 767 768 769 770 771 772 773 774 775 776 777 778 779 780 781 782 783 784 785 786 787 788 789 790 791 792 793 794 795 796 797 798 799 800 801 802 803 804 805 806 807 808 809 810 811 812 813 814 815 816 817 818 819 820 821 822 823 824 825 826 827 828 829 830 831 832 833 834 835 836 837 838 839 840 841 842 843 844 845 846 847 848 849 850 851 852 853 854 855 856 857 858 859 860 861 862 863 864 865 866 867 868 869 870 871 872 873 874 875 876 877 878 879 880 881 882 883 884 885 886 887 888 889 890 891 892 893 894 895 896 897 898 899 900 901 902 903 904 905 906 907 908 909 910 911 912 913 914 915 916 917 918 919 920 921 922 923 924 925 926 927 928 929 930 931 932 933 934 935 936 937 938 939 940 941 942 943 944 945 946 947 948 949 950 951 952 953 954 955 956 957 958 959 960 961 962 963 964 965 966 967 968 969 970 971 972 973 974 975 976 977 978 979 980 981 982 983 984 985 986 987 988 989 990 991 992 993 994 995 996 997 998 999 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1011 1012 1013 1014 1015 1016 1017 1018 1019 1020 1021 1022 1023 1024 1025 1026 1027 1028 1029 1030 1031 1032 1033 1034 1035 1036 1037 1038

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1925

THIS IS TRUCK  
 GOING PICK  
 THERE IS USUALLY A  
 A LARGE ONE HERE  
 HERE ONE CAUSE  
 STEP AND WE  
 ALL P. ONE  
 RIGHT THROUGH

BERGSHRUND THE CREVASSE  
AT THE HEAD OF A GLACIER

HE'S GONE  
POOR FEELING  
THERE'S NOTHING  
WE CAN  
DO

44  
40

THE ROPE IS  
PULLED THROUGH  
IT'S BEEN CUT  
BY AN ICE AX  
GLASS IS THE  
FOR BATMAN  
AND ROBIN TO  
MAKE AN  
APPEARANCE!



# GIANT BATMAN



**D**AWN AND AS THE EXPEDITION MAKES READY TO RESUME SCALING



WE GOT A SHARP STONE IN MY SHOE, FELLOWS, YOU GO AHEAD, AND I'LL CATCH UP LATER

I'LL STICK WITH YOU, BRUCE. YOU MAY NEED FIRST AID!

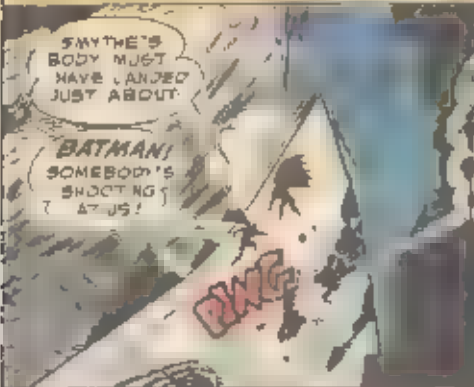
**S**OON AFTER...

THESE SNOWMEN REPLICAS OF OURSELVES WILL FOOL ANYBODY WHO LOOKS BACK TO SEE IF WE'RE STILL AROUND.

MEANWHILE, I'LL GIVE US A CHANCE TO INVESTIGATE THE MURDER OF SYDNEY SMYTHE!



**A**ND AFTER A TORTUROUS DESCENT



SMYTHE'S BODY MUST HAVE LANDED JUST ABOUT

BATMAN! SOMEBODY'S SHOOTING AT US!

PING

**S**WIFTLY, THEY DART FOR SHELTER BE NEATH A ROCK OVERHANG



YES, BUT NO ONE'S SHOOTING AT US. BATMAN! WE'RE PINNED LIKE BIRDS IN A GUNNERS' HAND!

ONLY ONE WAY OUT UP THE CLIFF! AND THERE'S A PITON LEFT BEHIND BY THE OTHER CLIMBERS.

A PITCH A STEEL SPARE USED A HUNDRED YEARS TO HOLD ALL HANGING CLIMBERS



NO USE, THOUGH THE ROPE WON'T REACH IT!

IT JUST MISSED!

**T**HE CAPED CRIMINAL'S INGENUITY COMES QUICKLY TO PLAY AS HE REELS OUT THE ROPE WITH HIS BELT BLOCKS AND A COIL OF WIRE FROM HIS BELT RADIO KIT



**A** FEW MINUTES LATER

THE ROPE IS JUST LONG ENOUGH NOW UP WE GO

"WHEN NOT MUCH TIME TO SPARE" THAT MARKSMAN JUST GOT A BEAD ON OUR HANGING PLACE



PING



# GIANT BATMAN



**F**INALLY AS THEY GAIN A VANTAGE OF SAFETY.

HE KILLED ANOTHER NO CHANCE OF FINDING HIM AGAIN IN THIS MOUNTAIN.

WE MAY AS WELL BE ON THE OTHERS GOSH. NOW WE KNOW FOR SURE THAT ONE OF THEM IS A MURDERER!

**L**ATER AS MOUNT FALLS

I NOCED SOMETHING THAT IS INTERESTING BATHAN!

ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE EXPEDITION ARE PRESENT! WHICH ONE SNEAKED AWAY TO MAKE THE ATTACK ON US?

**A**ND AT THE FIRST OPPORTUNITY

CHECKED EVERYBODY'S EQUIPMENT BRUCE AND RAMON NOGOTRO HAS LOST HIS CHANCE!

AMM IT MIGHT HAVE HAPPENED WHEN WE CUT THE ROPE THAT SENT THEM SMYTHE PLUNGING TO HIS DEATH. WE'LL HAVE TO KEEP A CAREFUL WATCH ON HIM.

**T**HE THIRD DAY'S CLIMB FINDS THE MOUNTAIN PEAKS GRADUALLY TEARING THE FINAL PEAK OF K-4

EVERYBODY - WAIT!

WHAT'S WRONG FRECHET?

LOOK, THOSE QUEER TRACKS IN THE SNOW. BY AREN'T THEY FOOTPRINTS OF THE MYSTERY SNOW CREATURE!

FANTASTIC! DON'T BELIEVE FRECHET!

**B**UT AFTER A SHORT DISCUSSION

WE ARE GOING TO FOLLOW THE TRACKS! TO SOLVE THE MYSTERY OF THE MYSTERY SNOW CREATURE IS TOO GOOD A CHANCE FOR US TO MISS

WE'LL PUSH ON WE WANT TO MAKE THE SUMMIT TODAY!

**A**S SOON AS THE OTHERS DEPART BRUCE AND RAMON CHANGE INTO THEIR SPECIAL HEAT INSULATED COATS, RES

DO YOU THINK THE CREATURE'S TRACKS WERE PLANTED TO LURE THE OTHERS AWAY FROM TRYING TO MAKE THE PEAK OF K-4?

IT IS POSSIBLE. ROBIN FRECHET SEEMED AWFULLY ANXIOUS TO FOLLOW THE TRAIL. BUT IF IT'S A TRICK HE'LL HAVE TO LEAVE THE OTHERS EVENTUALLY. AND HEAD FOR THE SUMMIT ALONE.





# GIANT BATMAN



HIGHER AND HIGHER THEY CLIMB IN-  
TO THE TWA AIR VAREE'S BODY  
MOVEMENT BECOMES A TERRIBLE  
EXERTION.

LOOK OUT  
FOR THIS WE'  
SHOW. ROBIN.  
THE SLIGHTEST  
DISTURBANCE  
CAN CAUSE WE'  
SHOW TO  
SLIDE!

SUDDENLY.

HOLD IT- THIS  
IS AS FAR AS YOU  
GO, BATMAN! ONLY  
ONE OF US IS GOING  
TO REACH THE  
PEAK ALIVE!

GREAT  
SCOTT!  
HE'S GOT  
ME COLD!  
I-I CAN'T  
MOVE!

FAR BELOW DANG NO  
HELP. ROBIN  
CLIMB Y RUMB SE  
FOR HIS BE Y RUMB

ROBIN SHOUTS AS  
LOUD AS HE CAN  
INTO THE SENSITIVE  
MICROPHONE

AND AS HIS VOICE REVERBERATES  
AROUND BATMAN'S BE RUMB

ONLY ONE  
IS N CHANCE TO  
SAVE BATMAN.  
IT MAY COST  
HIS LIFE  
BUT HE'S  
SURE TO  
DIE IF  
DOY  
RISK  
T

BATMAN!  
LOOK  
OUT!

BATMAN!  
LOOK  
OUT!

WHAT? THE  
SOUND WAVES  
ARE CAUSING AN  
AVALANCHE!

THE  
SWIFTLY  
BLINDING  
SNOW  
MASS  
CARRIES  
BATMAN  
TO THE  
EDGE  
OF THE  
CLIFF  
AS

GOT TO  
THE  
RIGHT  
OF  
BATMAN  
IS  
A GUNNER!

UHHH!  
HEAVY D DLED  
MY ARM O TOP  
ITS SOCKET.  
BUT I YE  
GOT  
YOU!

MOUNTAINEERS  
CALL THIS C' AB NG  
COURT SCHELLE!  
WHEN THERE'S NO  
OTHER HANDHOLD,  
THEY SIMPLY CLIMB  
UP OVER EACH  
OTHER'S BODIES!

THE  
CYLINDER  
I FOUND  
IT!

I  
CAN'T  
SEE!





FROM THE SEWERS OF  
PARIS FROM THE  
LIBERATION OF THE CASSAN  
TO THE BUILDING OF  
NEW BATMAN  
AN ROBIN EMBARK ON  
THE MOST DANGEROUS  
MOST URGENT JOURNEY  
ON THE R LAREERS  
FOR ON THE 5th OF  
THE R LAREERS DEFENDS  
THE LIFE OF A MAN A  
LIFE THAT MAY BE  
SAVED AT THE RARE  
PRICE OF \$5.00  
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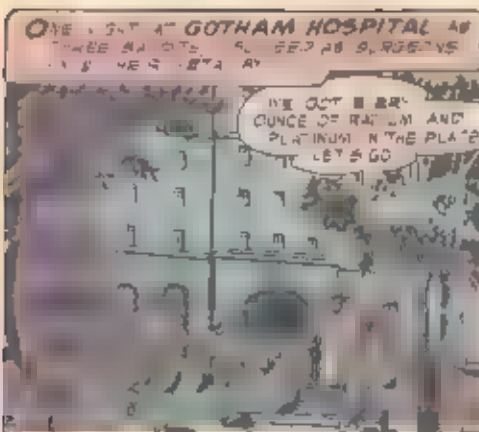
**AROUND  
THE  
WORLD  
IN 8  
DAYS**

HA HA  
YOU TRAPPED  
ME AT THE  
WATERS AND  
BATMAN ONLY  
TO MEET YOUR  
DEATH



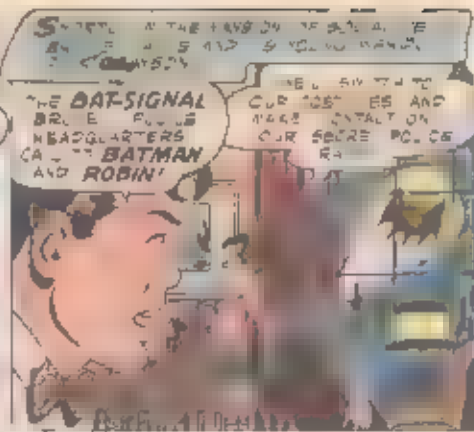


# GIANT BATMAN



ONE NIGHT AT GOTHAM HOSPITAL AS THREE SURGEONS WERE PERFORMING SURGERIES

WE GOT A BUNCH OF RADIUM AND PLATINUM IN THE PLANT. LET'S GO



SHOUT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT

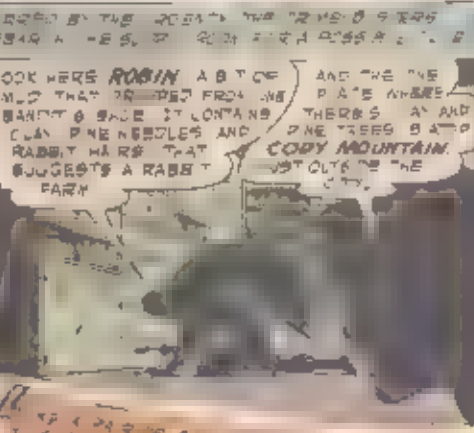
THE BAT-SIGNAL BRINGS ALL THE HEADQUARTERS CALL TO BATMAN AND ROBIN

WE'VE GOT TO GET OUR GEAR AND MAKE A DASH ON OUR SECRET POLICE



AFTER A

THE BANDIT DON'T KNOW IT, BUT AMONG THE LOT OF A NEW MACHINE THIS TAKES A MONTH TO PREPARE THIS NEW BATTERY, BUT WE HAVE A PATENT WHO NEEDS IT WITH A FEW DAYS OR ELSE HE'LL DIE



STOOD BY THE ROADSIDE THE TWO MEN WERE

LOOK HERE ROBIN A BIT OF WILD THAT PRISONER FROM THE BANDIT'S SACK IT CONTAINS CLAY PNEUMONIC NEEDLES AND RABBIT HARE THAT SUGGESTS A RABBIT FARM

AND THE TWO MEN WERE THERE'S A AND ONE TREE B AND COPY MOUNTAIN. JUST OUTSIDE THE CITY



IN AN HOUR, AT THE GANG'S SHOWDOWN

BATMAN AND ROBIN! THEY'VE US DOWN



THEY'VE GOT TO GET THE GEAR AND MAKE A DASH ON OUR SECRET POLICE

THAT HANDS



# GIANT BATMAN



NOW WHERE'S  
YOUR LOG FROM  
THE HOSPITAL?

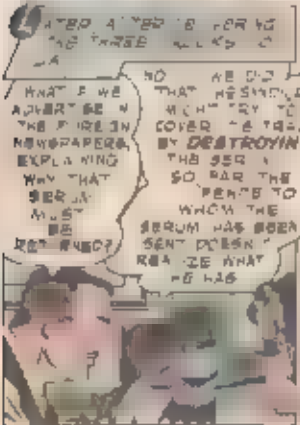
**TALK!**

IT'S GONE  
SENT TO FENLES  
AL DIER'S  
WORD HAT'S ALL  
A TELL  
HONEST **BATMAN!**



IT'S THEN THAT **BATMAN** NOTICES A MAP ON THE  
WALL

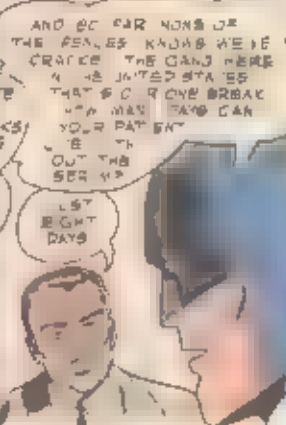
SO THAT'S IT A WORLD-WIDE SYNDICATE  
AND INTERNATIONAL "FENLES" WHO-OLD THE  
LITTLE T-LOOKS OVER THEN SEE IT THESE  
ON MAPSERS WHO INDICATE WHERE THE R  
AGENTS ARE LOCATED?



LATER AFTER IS FOR US  
THE THREE WALKED

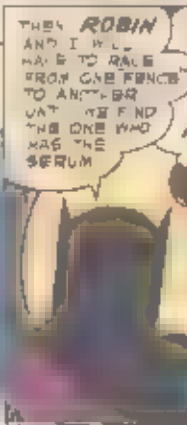
WHAT IF WE  
ADVERTISE IN  
THE FINEST  
NEWSPAPERS  
EXPLAINING  
WHY THAT  
SERUM  
MUST  
BE  
REMOVED?

NO  
THAT WE DID  
HIGH TRY TO  
COVER THE TRACKS  
BY DESTROYING  
THE SERUM  
SO FAR THE  
FENLES TO  
WHOM THE  
SERUM HAS BEEN  
SENT DOWN  
REALIZE WHAT  
WE HAVE



AND BE CAUTION OF  
THE FENLES KNOWS WE'RE  
CRACKING THE GANG HERE  
AND HE JUMPED STARS  
THAT'S OUR ONE BREAK  
AND MAY THAT CAN  
YOUR PATIENT  
BE OUT THE  
SERUM?

LET  
EIGHT  
DAYS



THEN **ROBIN**  
AND I WILL  
HAVE TO RACE  
FROM ONE FENCE  
TO ANOTHER  
UNTIL WE FIND  
THE ONE WHO  
HAS THE  
SERUM

AND WE HAVE  
TO DO IT IN  
JUST EIGHT  
DAYS IN WHICH  
TO TRAVE  
**AROUND THE  
WORLD!**



IN A MATTER OF MINUTES THUNDERING JET  
ENGINES SIGNAL THE START OF THE RAPID  
**BAT-PLANE** ON THE ROAD TO A  
URGENT JOURNEY



ALL THIS TIME FENLES  
WAS IN GOTHAM HOSPITAL

DOCTOR WHAT  
IF **BATMAN**  
DOESN'T FIND  
THE SERUM  
IN TIME?

HE MUST!

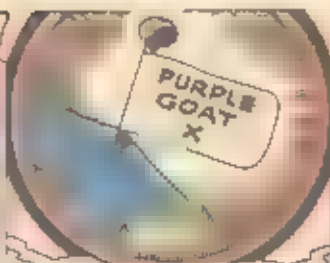


# GIANT BATMAN



SOME HOURS LATER

HERE'S THE FIRST PLACE NO CATES BY A PIN ON THAT MAP THIS LITTLE FARMING TOWN IN HOLAND



AS FOR THE CODES ON THE MAP THE 'PURPLE GOAT' WOULD BE THE NAME OF A RESTAURANT OR INN

AND AN 'X' COULD MARK IT AS THE 'X' IN THE 'X' WE'D BETTER START SEARCHING THIS LOCAL

AS A LIGHT FALLS, NOW WE

NO 'PURPLE GOAT' RESTAURANT OR INN IN ANY OTHER PLACE MARKED BY AN 'X'

AT ROBIN-  
HOLD ON! THERE'S AN 'X' MARKED BY THE BATES OF A WINDMILL I WONDER



AFTER QUESTIONING SOME LOCAL RESIDENTS

THERE IS THE 'PURPLE GOAT' IT WAS EASY TO FIND. ONCE WE LEARNED THAT NO LANDERS GIVE NAMES TO THEIR WINDMILLS

AND A WINDMILL MAKES A PERFECT 'X' MARK



CHANCE WE'VE BEEN SPOTTED BY THE ENEMY

WE CAN'T TURN BACK NOW WE'VE GOT TO FIND THAT SECRET

BUT JUST THEY, IN A SECRET STRATEGY TO THE BALCONY



WITH A DEFT LEAP, BATMAN AND ROBIN GRAB AT THE CHANGING WINDMILL

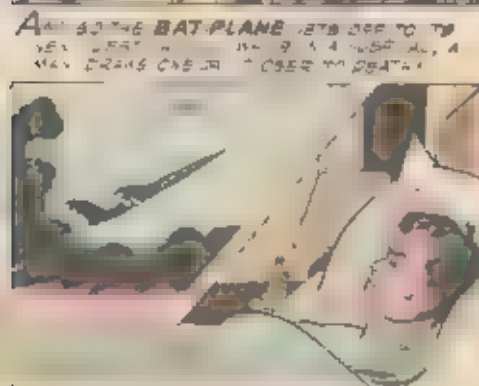
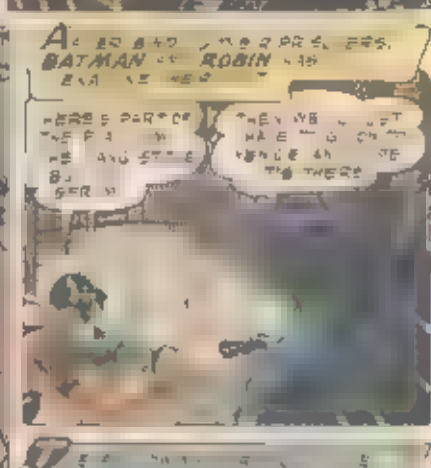
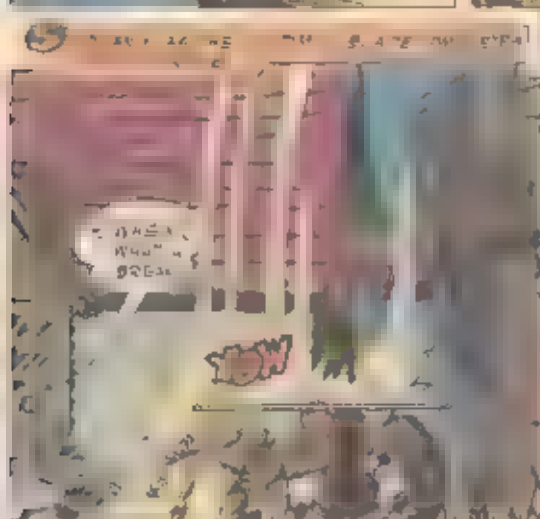
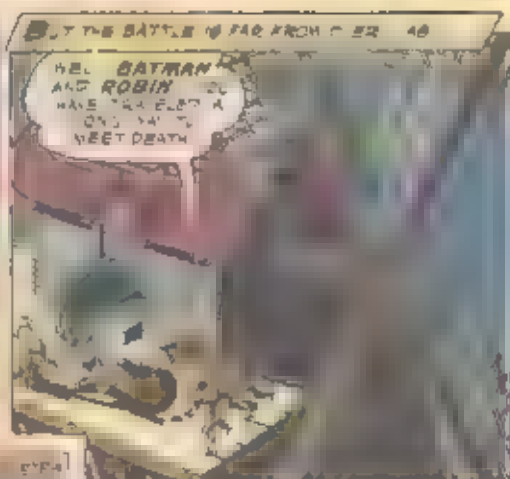


HANSI CLAUS! HELP!





# GIANT BATMAN





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LOOK BATMAN!  
THOSE PULPING  
FLESH ARE  
DIFFERENT  
THINGS  
STAY ON  
THEM

WILLIE KITT ROBIN!  
NOW WE ARE  
GOING TO FIND THE  
POST THAT MATCHES  
THE CLUE

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**BATMAN**

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HIDDEN IN A  
WATERPROOF  
SACK TIED  
TO THE  
POST

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CONDOLA AS A  
FLOATING STORGE  
SELL GOLDEN GOLD  
TO PASSENGERS

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LEFT TO GO  
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W E UP  
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BATHMAN. W  
ST L KAVE A  
FIG + NG  
CHANCE

BATMAN AND ROBIN  
THEY RETURNED

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A TALLER  
MARKER'S  
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BATMAN

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-E  
7 ROPE



SOON...

WHAT ARE WE DOING OUT HERE? WHY DON'T WE GO BACK INSIDE AND SEARCH FOR THE LOOT?

BECAUSE IT WOULD TAKE TOO MUCH TIME... THAT TEMPLE COULD HAVE 100 SECRET HIDING PLACES! HELP ME GATHER SOME BAMBOO STALKS. HURRY!



MOMENTS LATER, INSIDE...

**CRACK!**  
**POP! CRACK!**

BUNGOTS OUT THERE! THE POLICE!

I'LL TAKE THE LOOT... THEN WE MUST RUN IN DIFFERENT DIRECTIONS, SO THAT THE POLICE DO NOT KNOW WHO TO FOLLOW!



A THREE OF THE THUGS EMERGE...

GOOD THING YOU KNEW THAT BURNING RIPE BAMBOO EXPLODES AND CRACKS JUST LIKE PISTOL SHOTS!

HERE THEY COME... BUT NONE OF THEM IS CARRYING ANY LOOT!



DESCENDING, BATMAN AND ROBIN CIRCLE THE TEMPLE, UNTIL...

THAT'S OUR MAN! HE MUST HAVE SNEAKED OUT THE BACK.

HIM? BUT THAT'S ONLY A RICE WORKER CARRYING HIS MARKET BASKETS!



BUT, AFTER A QUICK SEARCH OF THE CACHE...

HERE'S THE GADOLIN STOLEN FROM THE HOSPITAL— BUT NO SERUM!

WELL, AT LEAST WE KNOW NOW THAT THE SERUM IS WITH THE LAST "FENCE"— IN MEXICO!





AS THE BAT-PLANE ROCKETS  
ONWARD--IN GOTHAM HOSPITAL,  
DOCTORS TENACIOUSLY TRY TO  
KEEP A SPARK OF LIFE ALIVE...

HE'S IN A COMA--SINKING  
FAST! IF BATMAN DOESN'T  
GET HERE SOON--THE SERUM  
WON'T DO ANY GOOD!

ARRIVING IN MEXICO,  
BATMAN EXAMINES  
THE CODE SYMBOL  
THAT IS THE LINK TO THE  
PRECIOUS SERUM...



A BULL'S  
HEAD IN-  
SIDE A  
RING...A  
BULLRING!

BUT BATMAN  
THERE'LL BE SO  
MANY PLACES  
TO SEARCH--  
THE ARENA,  
THE STANDS,  
THE STALLS...

NO...BULLS ARE PRESENTED  
IN FROM THE COUNTRYSIDE TO  
THE STADIUM! IT WOULD BE  
A PERFECT WAY OF SMUGGLING  
LOOT FROM ONE PLACE TO ANOTHER--  
SO LET'S SEARCH THE BULL  
STALLS!



PRESENTLY, IN THE MAIN BULL STALL...

GOOD THING  
THERE AREN'T  
ANY BULLS  
AROUND!

I'VE A HUNCH WE'LL  
FIND THE LOOT IN A  
STEEL BOX UNDER THAT  
PILE OF FODDER! AFTER  
ALL, WHO'D EVER THINK OF  
LOOKING FOR IT THERE?



BUT THEY DO NOT SEE A FORTIVE HAND LIFT  
THE DOOR OF AN ADJOINING STALL, UNTIL...



DAZZLED BY HIS  
SLAM AGAINST  
THE WALL, THE  
BOY WONDER  
SLUMPS DOWN,  
UNWARE OF THE  
FOUR-FOOTED  
FURY CHARGING  
TOWARD HIM...



GOT TO LURE THAT  
BULL AWAY  
FROM ROBIN...



# GIANT BATMAN



**DISTRACTED BY THE WAVING CAPE, THE BULL STOPS SHORT...**

A BULL ALWAYS CHARGES THE FLAPPING CAPE--  
RATHER THAN THE MAN!  
COME ON, BIG BOY--  
CHARGE!

**AS THE ANGRY BEAST POUNCES AT HIM, BATMAN BACKS OUT OF THE STALL INTO THE ARENA...**

NOW  
ROBIN'S  
SAFE--  
BUT WHAT  
ABOUT ME?

**AND NOW, BEFORE THE VACANT STANDS, BATMAN PUTS ON THE GREATEST & LL--  
FIGHTING PERFORMANCE OF ANY MATADOR...**

**AT THE LAST SPLIT INSTANT, THE MASKED LAWYAN SUEZES--  
AND DEADLY HORNS SLASH AT AN EMPTY CAPE!**



**A FEW MINUTES PASS, A FIGURE APPEARS AT THE BARRICADE, TO PEER AT THE ANNOYED ARENA...**

HA, HA... THE  
BULL WAS  
FINISHED  
BATMAN!

SORRY TO DISAPPOINT  
YOU... I ONLY LEFT  
MY CAPE FOR THE  
BULL TO PLAY  
WITH!

**BATMAN!**  
SO-- I MUST  
FINISH YOU  
MYSELF, WITH  
A MATADOR  
SWORD!







**B**UT JUST AS SWIFTLY, BATMAN ARMS HIMSELF AND PARRIES THE SLASHING THRUST...



**T**HEN, WITH A DEFT THIST OF THE WRIST, HE SENDS THE CRIMINAL'S BLADE FLYING!



**I**N THE MEANTIME, AT THE HOSPITAL, WHERE DOCTOR'S HAVE JUST ABOUT GIVEN UP HOPE...



HE'S GOING FAST! EVEN IF BATMAN DOES GET HERE WITH THE SERUM NOW, WE DON'T KNOW IF IT WILL DO ANY GOOD!

**A**BRUPTLY...

DOCTOR, WE'VE GOT IT! WE'VE GOT THE SERUM!

LET ME HAVE IT-- QUICKLY! THERE MAY STILL BE A CHANCE...



**L**ATER, AS THE DOCTOR RUSHES INTO AN ANTE-ROOM...



IT'S TAKING EFFECT. HE'LL LIVE! HE...

SHHH-HHH, DOCTOR! YOU'LL AWAKEN THEM!

LET THEM SLEEP.. THEY DESERVE A REST-- NOW!

